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Gold, mixed with molten glass,  
produces the finest of all tinted  
glasses—a rich, royal ruby.

# THE SEDALIA DEMOCRAT

Thought for Today  
For cleanliness of body was ever  
esteemed to proceed from a due  
reverence to God, to society and to  
ourselves.—Bacon.

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## War Should Terminate Lend-Lease

Roosevelt Adds That United Nations Partnership Must Grow Stronger

By John M. Hightower  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 24—(P)—President Roosevelt told congress today that lend-lease and reverse lend-lease "should end with the war."

The statement appeared to be a pointed reply to suggestions that some sort of lend-lease assistance should be continued to Britain and possibly other Allied nations even after both the European and Pacific wars have ended.

Mr. Roosevelt had previously called for continuation of lend-lease so long as Japan remains in the war.

"Lend-lease and reverse lend-lease are a system of combined war supply," the chief executive said today. "They should end with the war. But the United Nations partnership must go on and must grow stronger."

This policy declaration wound up a letter by which the president

LONDON, Nov. 24.—(P)—Separate British and American official papers—bare of any estimate of the United States' mutual aid outlay—tallied the cost of the British Empire's reverse lend-lease contributions today at \$3,346,127,000 up to June 20.

transmitted to congress a detailed report of reverse lend-lease from Britain. The British put out a similar report a few hours earlier covering about the same statistics. This showed that the United Kingdom had supplied, up to June 30 this year, munitions and other goods and services valued at \$2,437,062,000 and that Australia, New Zealand and India furnished \$911,065,000—a grand total of \$3,348,127,000.

**Supplies to United Kingdom**  
The United States has furnished to the United Kingdom for the same period, ending June 30, a total of \$9,321,549,000 of lend-lease and to all the Allies a total of \$28,270,351,000 worth. But Mr. Roosevelt urged that no comparisons be made on a dollar basis.

"We are not loaning money under lend-lease," he said. "We are not receiving payment under reverse lend-lease. . . . Neither the monetary totals of the lend-lease aid we supply, nor the totals of the reverse lend-lease aid we receive are measures of the aid we have given or received in this war. That could be measured only in terms of the total contributions toward winning victory of each of the United Nations."

"There are no statistical or monetary measurements for the value of courage, skill and sacrifice in the face of death and destruction wrought by our common enemies." The chief executive summed up his estimate of the value of Britain's reverse lend-lease contributions by saying that without it "we would surely have been forced to delay the invasion of France for many months."

**Reverse Lend-Lease**  
"Reverse lend-lease," he told congress, "has played an essential part in the stupendous job of preparing for and supplying the great Allied offensives in Europe."

"It would have required a thousand ships to send across the Atlantic what we received for our own men through reverse lend-lease from the United Kingdom."

"We were able to use these thousand ships instead for carrying supplies and equipment that had to come from the United States. . . ."

"For the war against Japan, United States forces have also received increased quantities of supplies and services in the past six months as reverse lend-lease from Australia and New Zealand and in India. These were the months in which the forces under General MacArthur were completing the New Guinea campaign and were preparing to launch the campaign for the liberation of the Philippines."

## The Weather

Central Missouri: Cloudy today. Rain and mild tonight with low temperature near 40. Rain and windy Saturday becoming cooler Saturday night.

Temperature 7 a. m. 31 degrees; 3 p. m. 48 degrees.

Lake of the Ozarks: 44; no change.  
Sunrise 8:06 a. m. Sunset 5:45 p. m.  
Full moon November 29; last quarter December 7.

## Surprise for Thomas Family

It was a real Thanksgiving day for the E. J. Thomas family, when Tech, Sgt. Leland J. Thomas, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Thomas, 633 East Ninth street, arrived home at 6:30 o'clock Thursday evening in time to have Thanksgiving dinner with his family.

On June 20 Sgt. Thomas, a radio operator-gunner on a B-24 bomber in the Army air corps was reported missing over Germany. And two weeks after his parents had been notified they received another message from the war department that he was safe and uninjured in a neutral country. On November 20 he arrived back in the United States.

Sgt. Thomas is on a twenty-one day furlough.

## Talk Garbage Disposal Plant For Sedalia

Councilman Makes Suggestion at Meeting Wednesday

Members of the City Council met Wednesday night in a recessed meeting, with Mayor A. H. Wilks presiding, and all members present with the exception of Leo Eickhoff, fourth ward.

There was an interesting discussion of the possibility of establishing a renovating and fertilizer plant for the city, and use of the county also, proposed by T. H. Yount, first ward. Mr. Yount explained that if the city could find means, and obtain priorities if they are needed, to build such a plant, it would be a place for disposal of all dead animals in the county, a garbage disposal plant, and at the same time the dehydrated garbage, and the ground bones of the animals would provide fertilizers which could be sold. Councilmen were interested, and the proposal will be investigated.

The council voted to permit the airport committee to spend between \$500 and \$600 for doors for a hangar at the Municipal airport.

### Return \$2000

It was also voted to return to the Chamber of Commerce the sum of \$2000 borrowed when construction of the airport hangar began. It was then the understanding the money would be paid back when crops on the airport ground were sold. This has been done and the money refunded.

Mayor Wilks was empowered to sign a contract with the Central Missouri Electric Company, Inc., for wiring the airport, and agreeing on the schedule of rates. Jack Funk, who has the airport leased will pay the electric bill. The resignation of Paul A. Wench, police officer, was read and accepted.

### Need Street Lights

A petition was presented by a delegation of citizens living south of Broadway and east of highway 50, and explained by L. B. Herfurth. He stated that the residents of that community have been bothered with sneak thieves, and with parkers, some intoxicated, and they are badly in need of more street lights. He asked the council to give consideration to this matter, and to find a way, if possible, to have the district better lighted.

August Kaiser was present to make a complaint of persons dumping trash and garbage in the area near Twenty-fourth street, between Marvin and Ingram. This was referred to the city engineer.

## Remember Men In Hospitals

Placards in store windows are reminding everyone to purchase gifts for U. S. service people who are hospitalized as a program to remember each person is endorsed by the national executive committees of the American Legion and American Legion auxiliary and is being publicized by Eddie Cantor.

Gifts acceptable are: Books, magazines, bathrobes, pajamas, slippers, handkerchiefs, ties, garters, underwear, stationery, stamps, pencils, toothpaste, tobacco, games, toilet articles, playing cards and money.

Each box presented should contain merchandise valued at \$2 in order that each recipient may receive as much as his neighbor; however, single articles to be placed in boxes will be accepted. Cash donations will be used to purchase gifts known to be needed and selected by committees for patients in Missouri, 150 of which will be for the Sedalia Army Air Field.

No gifts of food will be accepted.

### Returns to Duty

Robert Schneck, gunners mate 3 C, left Wednesday after a leave spent with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George F. Schneck, 207 South Grand avenue.

## Fighting in Center of Strasbourg

American Ninth And First Armies Offensive Slows To Sticky Crawl

By William Frye  
LONDON, Nov. 24.—(P)—Allied advance units were reported today to have crossed the flooded Rhine east of Strasbourg, which French and American troops had captured save for a small but powerfully defended bridgehead at the western end of the main bridge.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—(P)—French armor cleaned out the whole western part of Strasbourg today and the Germans asserted that a surprise attempt to capture a bridge there across the Rhine had been frustrated.

On the hottest corner of the western front, however, a violent German counterattack with six or seven divisions, half of them armored, threw the British Second army out of Hoven on the muddy Cologne plain, three miles northeast of captured Geilenkirchen.

Flame throwers were used. The men of Lt. Gen. Miles C. Dempsey stood firm on the high ground overlooking the Wurm valley to the north of the leveled hamlet. Still farther north the British absorbed all German counterattacks and inched forward, yard by bloody yard.

Flanking the British to the south the American Ninth and First army offensives in the valley of the turbulent Roer river slowed to a sticky crawl or even were checked entirely while the Germans threw wave upon wave of counterattacks at Allied lines. The fighting centered at the approaches of Julich, highway town on the Roer 25 miles from ruined Cologne.

### Deepens Wedge

The American Third army beyond Metz captured Oberluren and deepened its northern wedge into Germany with gains of two to four miles yesterday. The front of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., edged slowly toward the Saar industrial and rail center of Saarbrücken, 15 miles from forward lines.

British troops in Holland moved within easy field gun range of the Maas river town of Venlo, a mile and a half away. Snow, rain and fog slowed the drives in the Vosges mountains and beyond Belfort where American and French units were striving to bag thousands of Germans of the 19th army. London heard an unconfirmed report that Field Marshal Gen. Johannes Blaskowitz in the southern front had been removed from his German command.

Front reports said fighting was in progress in the narrow, crooked streets at the center of Strasbourg, capital of Alsace-Lorraine and a quaint old fortress city of 193,000 two miles west of the Rhine but linked to the river by a canal and a port.

## Enter Oil Co. Plant, Station

Thieves sometime Thursday night, or early this morning, entered the Sinclair bulk plant office at Park avenue and the Missouri Pacific tracks and also the Cities Service Filling station at Hancock avenue and Broadway.

At the Sinclair plant the thief or thieves "picked" a padlock to gain entrance to the office. Inside they pulled out desk drawers and scattered their contents over the floor, also opened a filing case, but nothing could be accounted for as missing.

A window on the east side of the filling station was pried open by the thieves, who after entering, stole gasoline rationing stamps representing approximately 174 gallons of gasoline and 87 gallons of kerosene. Nothing else was reported as missing.

## Pfc. Harms, Exchange Prisoner

PARIS, Nov. 24.—(P)—Four Missourians and an Arkansas soldier were among American officers and men involved in a prisoner exchange in the German-held Lorient sector of France Nov. 16, censorship has revealed.

A six-hour armistice at the fishing village of Le Magour permitted the trading of 79 German captives for a like number of Americans by motor boat across the Etel river.

The Americans, some held as long as 90 days, were taken to a rest camp where they were provided

## Phone Strike Is Called Off

By Norman Walker

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—(P)—The nation breathed relieved into its telephones today, spared of a threatened widespread strike that could have tied up its communications in wartime.

Telephone operators who had quit their jobs in 20 Ohio cities, Washington and Detroit went back to their switchboards. Similar walkouts which had shown every sign of developing in New York and elsewhere promptly faded.

Randolph Erde, president of the Ohio Belle Telephone Co., said at Cleveland: "Virtually all employees are back on the job and service is on a normal basis. Additional workers are expected to report for duty at scheduled hours during the day. I'm pleased to say it's business as usual for Ohio Bell."

## Dalton Lashes At Hannegan, Defends FDR

Blames PAC and Grand Jury for Republican Loss

POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Nov. 24.

(P)—Publicly pledging his support to President Roosevelt and Governor-elect Phil M. Donnelly "to help in any program which is for the good of our state and nation," Grover W. Dalton, chairman of the Republican State committee today gave credit for the Democratic victory in Missouri to the PAC and the "political grand jury called by the United States district attorney."

"I have great admiration and respect for the efficiency and effectiveness of the PAC," Dalton said in a prepared statement. The traditional block system used by both parties, he continued, is of no effect against "Communist cell system."

"As a secondary cause for the Republican defeat in St. Louis," he continued, "I will give credit to the political grand jury called by the United States district attorney. No doubt Bob Hannegan (Democratic National chairman) is familiar with the proceedings. It was a slick trick and in keeping with other duplicity of which he boasts."

### Talks of Grand Jury

The grand jury, he said, "started off with all the dignity of a crossroads coroner's inquest. Unfounded, malicious and malevolent stories were given the newspapers every day, smearing a candidate and leaders. By innuendo and interference an effort was made to make it appear to the public that the Republican party had an unholy alliance with the East St. Louis gambling rackets."

Referring to a recent interview of Mr. Hannegan, published in the St. Louis Post Dispatch, Dalton asserted in his statement that he "agrees with him (Mr. Hannegan) that as he said in his interview, he should be ashamed of Mr. Truman (vice president elect Harry S. Truman, and) his Pendergast connections x x x. I agree with Mr. Hannegan that it was clever not to disagree with Sidney Hillman and the PAC. It's never smart to cross the man with the high boots and iron spurs. The 'great white father' issued a preemptory instruction to 'clear everything with Sidney' and his motley crew. No one will be permitted to forget that Sidney won the election x x x."

### Defends Roosevelt

"With your charge of implied venality, chicanery, trickery, and treacherous river rat politics against the commander in chief of our army and navy," he said in directing the statement to Mr. Hannegan, "I emphatically disagree. For the first time I now raise to defend Franklin D. Roosevelt. I have said some bitter and harsh things about President Roosevelt and the New Deal, but I cannot bring myself to believe at this time of crisis and sorrow x x x he would lend himself to a cheap, ward healing, guttersnipe piece of deception in order that he might entrap Thomas E. Dewey."

"To believe the commander in chief of our army, in fact our destiny, would be guilty of such mendacious, cheap, venal conduct would cause me to lose faith in our government. I don't believe Mr. Roosevelt would stoop to such destructive tactics."

Bobbie Hoerman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hoerman of Lamar, formerly of Smithton, is in a hospital at Fort Leavenworth, Kas., ill with blood poisoning. He enlisted in the navy two weeks ago and the illness developed when he arrived at Fort Leavenworth.

Relatives of Pfc. Harms were surprised and happy when they learned through the newspaper of his release, because the last information they had received was on October 20, a telegram from the

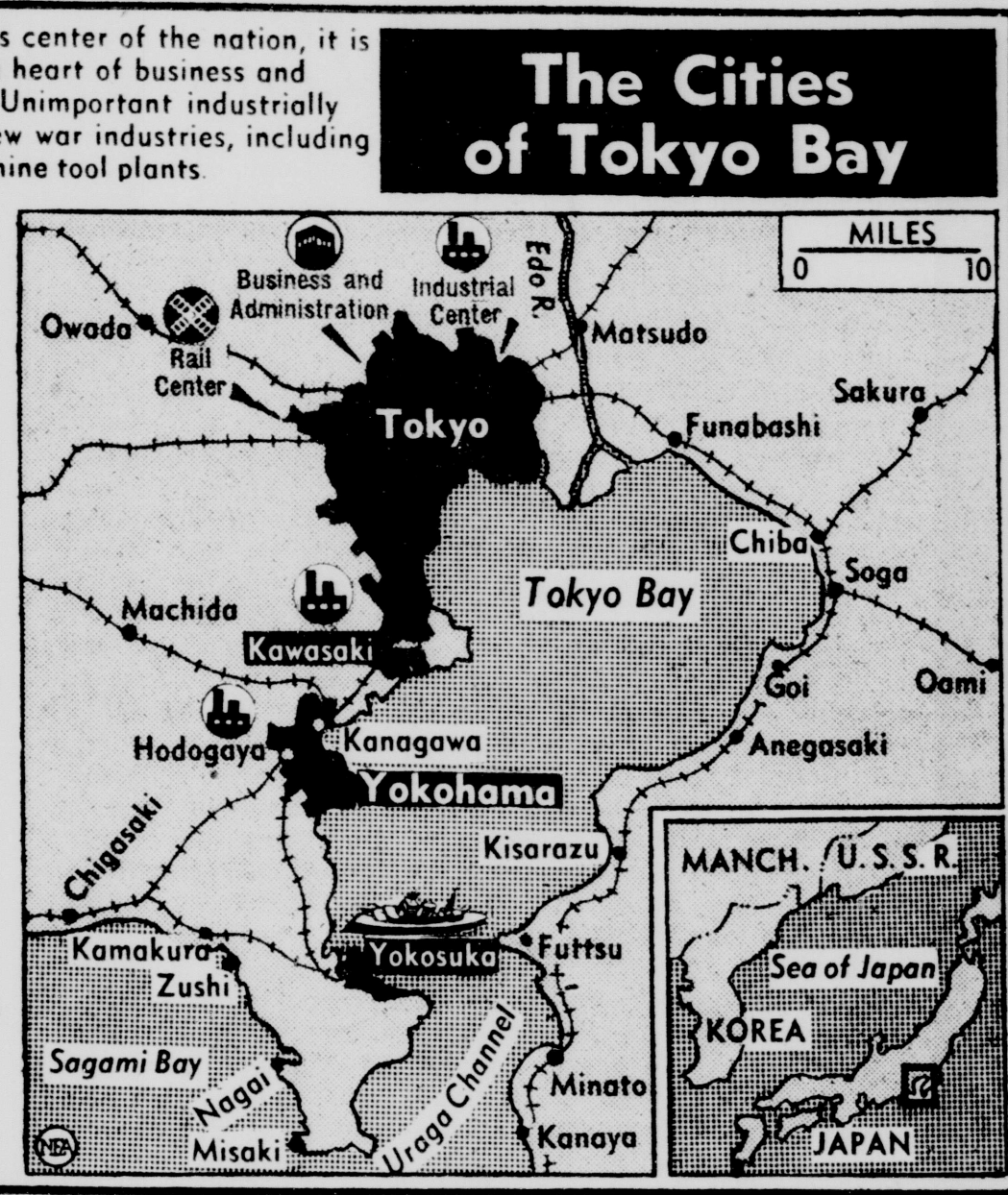
# Armada of B-29's Blast Tokyo Today With Tons of Bombs

TOKYO—Natural communications center of the nation, it is hub of Japanese railways, the heart of business and governmental administration. Unimportant industrially before 1931, it now holds many new war industries, including greatly expanded machine tool plants.

KAWASAKI—Heart of the new industrial city that mushroomed along bay coast between Tokyo and Yokohama after conquest of Manchuria. Most of its many factories are "modern," including two of Japan's best oil refineries. Has its own harbor.

YOKOHAMA—Tokyo's port for deep-sea shipping. Has two large shipyards, tank and tractor factories; five oil refineries, including two with nation's largest output; chemical and machine tool plants.

YOKOSUKA—A former fishing village, it is now great naval base, with city almost exclusively supported by Navy.



## Yank Raid Took Japs By Surprise

Met No Fighter Resistance, Meager Anti-aircraft Fire

By Vern Haugland

TWENTY-FIRST U. S. BOMBER COMMAND, Saipan, Nov. 24.—(P)—The American superfortresses raid on Tokyo today apparently took the Japanese by surprise, said Brig. Gen. Emmett "Rosie" O'Donnell tonight on returning from the attack on the Nippon capital.

The general said the Japanese offered no fighter resistance and that anti-aircraft fire was meager and inaccurate.

"We took them by surprise again," said O'Donnell of Jamaica, N. Y., who led the sizeable task force of B-29s in their first attack against Tokyo industrial areas.

"Certainly they weren't up to meet us in their fighters and their attack fire was meager and inaccurate. It was one of the easiest missions I've been on."

O'Donnell flew in the "Dauntless Dottie," piloted by Maj. Robert Morgan of Asheville, N. C., which was the first plane over the Nakajima aircraft factory target.

### Too Busy to See Results

Capt. Walter R. Young of Cushing, Okla., piloting another superfortress in the first squadron over the target, said his crew sighted several enemy fighters just as they reached the objective. Everyone was too busy looking for aircraft to observe results of the bombing, however.

Young said he believed the Japanese were caught by surprise.

Second Lt. Jack H. Vetter of Corpus Christi, Tex., said not more than six or eight Japanese fighters were seen and none came close.

In the same plane, Sgt. W. I. Chaiman, Panhandle, Tex., said he was plenty scared over the target, although nothing much happened.

Others in early planes over Tokyo included Capt. Pershing L. Yon, Tallahassee, Fla., and Sgt. Robert B. Hinson, Charlotte, N. C. Corp. Thomas Bonvici of Bridgeport, Conn., right gunner aboard Yon's plane, said he saw his plane's bombs smack right into a section of a great factory which was the target assigned his plane.

### In Kansas Hospital

Bothwell Hospital Notes  
Mrs. Orval Lewis, 113 South Grand avenue and Mrs. Emil Jarosik, St. Louis, admitted for medical treatment.  
Miss Nina Grimes, 808 West Sixth street, admitted for surgery.  
Judith Barnett, Green Ridge; James Barnett, Green Ridge; Claude R. Brown and son, route 1, Beaman; Louis Harris, 617 East Fourteenth street; Ruth Ann Wareham, 668 East Sixteenth street and Mrs. Hugh Marshall and son, 523 East Thirteenth street, dismissed.  
Henry Blaylock, Route 4, Sedalia, dismissed.  
Bobby Curtis, Beaman, admitted for tonsillotomy.  
Mrs. R. E. Yount, 1503 South Missouri, admitted for surgery.  
Miss Alice Gibson, Windsor, admitted for medical treatment.

## TODAY ON THE War Fronts

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—(P)—Fires still were burning in the center of Tokyo hours after the attack by B-29's today, the 20th air force reported.

A communique reporting this said that all but two of a "large task force" of the superfortresses making the strike against the enemy capital have returned.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—(P)—German flying bombs inflicted new casualties on southern England before dawn today but several were destroyed before they could cross the coast.

WITH U. S. THIRD ARMY, Nov. 24.—(P)—Third army elements crossed the Saar river 26 miles from Saarbrücken in Germany today and scored other eastward gains up to three miles in advances which reached to within 13 miles of the industrial center.

SOUTHEAST ASIA COMMAND HEADQUARTERS IN KANDY, Ceylon, Nov. 24.—(P)—Chinese troops have driven into the Japanese stronghold of Bhamo, key to central Burma, from the south and north-east, Admiral Lord Louis Mountbatten's command announced today.

SETTERICH, Germany, Nov. 24.—(P)—The U. S. Ninth army's toll of German tanks mounted today to 110 in seven days, including 23 of the monster Tiger Royals, as the entire front was deluged under inches of water from three days of rain.

LONDON, Nov. 24.—(P)—Russian forces have cleared the island of Saare, north of the entrance to the Gulf of Riga, Marshal Stalin announced tonight in a broadcast order of the day.

CHUNGKING, Nov. 24.—(P)—Chinese police were trying today to trace the source of false rumors in Chungking that American troops landed two days ago on the China coast near Foochow and Wenchow.

The rumors, falsely ascribed to various news agencies, had caused great excitement here. One newspaper issued extras. It was believed the rumors were inspired by speculators trying to influence the black market value on foreign currency.

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## Fires Thursday Resulted in \$1,000 Loss

One Believed Caused From Cigarette

Two fires Thursday caused losses estimated at approximately \$1,000, one believed to have started from a carelessly thrown cigarette and the origin of the other undetermined. A third fire resulted in slight damage to a fence.

A still alarm was received at 6:45 a. m. to the DeJarnett Fuel Co., 506 West Second street, where some trash had caught fire and spread to some fencing. Slight damage resulted.

At 7:24 a. m. the companies were called to the old Messerly building, 116-120 South Osage avenue, where fire had started on the second floor. It was believed the blaze originated from a carelessly thrown cigarette on the floor.

Fire burned its way into the third floor and smoke filled the entire third and second floor rooms while some smoke damage was in the first floor rooms occupied by the A. W. Johns Auto Supply Co. Quick work on the part of the fire fighters using hose lines from the booster tanks on the two fire trucks brought the blaze under control.

Actual fire damage to the building was estimated at more than \$300 and considerable damage resulted from smoke to the building. There was also some water damage to supply company. The building is owned by A. W. Johns and the rooms upstairs were said to be occupied by Taylor Cain.

Scrap paper caught fire in a store building at the Cohen Junk Yard, 400 East St. Louis street, about 5:54 o'clock Thursday evening and damage of more than \$300 resulted to the building and approximately the same amount of damage resulted to the contents of the building.

It was necessary for the firemen to use two lines of hose to battle the flames and they poured water into the scrap paper and building for more than five hours before the flames were extinguished.

## Honor 50-Year Old Members

Eighteen fifty-year members of the Woodmen of the World were awarded gold pins Wednesday evening at a meeting in the Woodmen lodge hall at which Claude Manlove, of Kansas City, state manager and R. E. Miller, national treasurer of the Woodmen of the World were special guests. Those receiving the pins were: F. P. Tietze, H. H. Kroencke, John Brandt, C. N. Broyles, D. H. Dean, C. C. Gentry, W. A. Graham, M. M. Greer, W. M. Johns, C. H. Kemp, George Knaus, James Knaus, C. L. May, H. Morseman, J. P. Reece, T. L. Scott, George J. Smith and A. M. Kramer.

A buffet supper, in charge of Mrs. Ernest Olson, Mrs. L. E. Eickhoff and Mrs. Noel Tweet was served to fifty-five members.

A program was presented following the supper by Kroencke's band and films were made by Mr. Manlove and Mr. Miller.

## Based on Saipan They Mark Initial Attack on Capital By Land-based Planes

TWENTY-FIRST BOMBER COMMAND, Saipan, Nov. 24.—(P)—A mighty armada of B-29 Superfortresses blasted Tokyo today with hundreds of tons of bombs, opening what Gen. H. H. Arnold said was "an attack which will be carried on relentlessly from the air until the day of land-sea invasion" of Japan's home islands.

An undisclosed number of superforts roared from newly-completed air bases here at dawn for the 3,000 mile flight which marked the initial attack on Japan's capital by land-based planes and its first bombing since April 18, 1942.

Brig. Gen. Emmett "Rosie" O'Donnell of Jamaica, N. Y., 38-year old former West Point football coach, led the historic daylight assault believed to be the largest attack yet made on Japan's homeland.

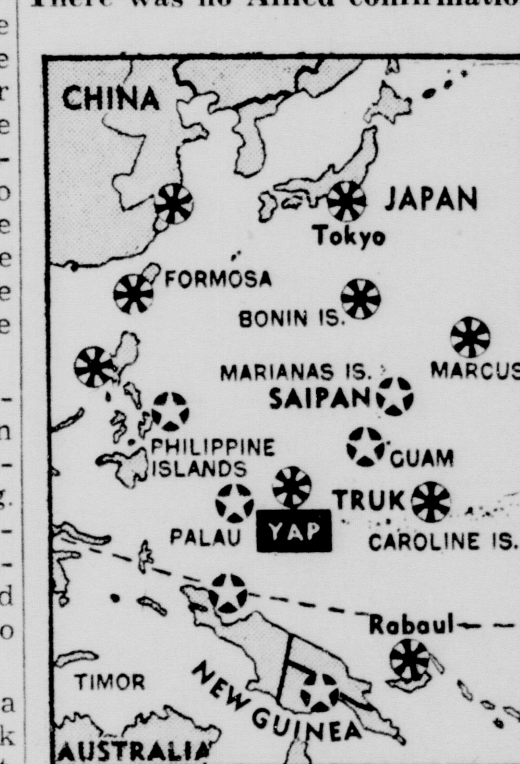
The aerial task force was from the recently established 21st bomber command of the 20th army air force, operating from the Marianas, under the command of Brig. Gen. Hayward S. "Possum" Hansell, Jr., of San Antonio, Tex.

### Two Way Squeeze

The first use of these bases south and east of Tokyo creates a two-way aerial squeeze against Japan's vital industries, with other B-29s from China, to the westward.

First official announcements of today's raid merely said a "sizeable task force" of superforts "attacked industrial targets in Tokyo." Another communique was promised when further details were available.

(Tokyo, acknowledging the assault four hours after its announcement in the United States, said 70 superforts hit the southern and northern outskirts of the capital early this afternoon. Japanese time. The broadcast, heard by the federal communications commission, claimed the B-29s "failed to attain any tangible results" but "residential sections, including one hospital, were slightly damaged." It said three were shot down. There was no Allied confirmation.



### Avoid Imperial Palace

Tokyo's great sprawling industrial area is ringed by airfields and anti-aircraft defenses, recent lone B-29 reconnaissance flights showed. Shipping and shipbuilding yards are located in nearby Yokohama.

Early reports gave no indication of the bomb loads carried. But the army air forces revealed yesterday in Washington that a superfortress can carry at least ten tons of bombs. Some B-29 flights are known to have included 100 planes.

The airmen were briefed to avoid the imperial palace, in the capital's heart, and shrines and temples.

They departed from here well aware that the raid would not be a surprise to the Japanese, long forewarned by the reconnaissance flights and practice B-29 bombing missions against Truk and the Bonin islands. The flight bore little resemblance to the first thrust of 16 medium bombers, launched from a carrier, which hit Tokyo in 1942 under Lt. Col. (now Lt. Gen.) James Doolittle.

### Arm Torn Off

ARGYLE, Mo., Nov. 24.—(P)—Anthony Redel, 26, caught his left arm in a corn shredder yesterday and it was torn off at the elbow. Redel was taken to a hospital in Jefferson City, where his physician described his condition as serious.

### Marriage License Issued

George Leroy Kidwell, Sedalia, and Viola May Knox, Sedalia.







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## Dr. Maddox is Guest Speaker

Dr. A. R. Maddox was the guest speaker at Hubbard high school assembly Tuesday morning and used as his subject "Young Men and Women of Tomorrow." He stated that boys and girls should be thankful that they can further their education during such a crisis as this and can sit peacefully in their homes, schools and churches without the fear of bombs falling on them. He stated that indulgences such as drinking, smoking or keeping late hours sap the mental power and physical vigor and the girl or boy who wants to be the best possible man or woman must begin by being the best boy or girl.

You must study, observe and learn. Learn new facts every day in school as well as out of school. He said that an education prepares the individual to adjust himself to different environments and to fit himself effectively for life's work. To prepare himself for the performance of all duties of the citizen, friend and neighbor. Duties which he owes to himself, to the community, to the nation.

Dr. Maddox ended his talk with a verse entitled "Give the Best You've Got."

## JUST Town Talk

THE THANKSGIVING HOLIDAY IS OVER. IT WAS OBSERVED IN MANY AND VARIOUS WAYS. FAMILIES AND Friends GOT TOGETHER TO TALK AND Eat AND HOW SOME OF THEM DID Eat ANYWAY. THE CONVERSATION IN ONE HOME IN A Rural Area WAS MOST Unusual OR WOULD HAVE BEEN IF MOTHER HAD PERMITTED SON TO EXPRESS Himself AS HE WANTED to. HE HAD BEEN OUT GETTING RABBITS. MOST OF The Morning AND HE Sat Down TO THE Dinner Table BUBBLING OVER WITH THE News. HE HAD LEARNED HOW TO Trap Skunks AND IT WAS ALL MOTHER COULD Do TO KEEP HIM FROM EXPLAINING JUST HOW IT WAS Done. I THANK YOU

## Suggests, Red, White And Blue On Dome

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—(AP)—The President's mail brought a suggestion today that the capitol dome be painted red, white and blue.

"It would make every American feel proud," wrote Oscar O'Neill, of Washington, D. C.

White House clerks decided to let Harold Ickes, the interior secretary and chief of the paint department, handle this one.

In turn, Ickes passed it on to David Lynn, the capitol architect who blinked once or twice and dictated:

"We appreciate your interest but it has long been the custom to paint the sandstone and the cast iron in colors to harmonize with the marble-faced wings.

"The traditional appearance is very satisfactory."

The dome was given a new coat of White recently.

## BOWEL CLEANING POWER OF KICKATO MEDICINE

One man recently took Kickato three days and said afterward that he never would have believed his body contained so much filthy substance. He says his stomach, intestines, bowels and system were thoroughly cleaned that his constant dull headaches came to an end; several pimply skin eruptions on his face dried up overnight, and even the pains in his knee disappeared.

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Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Eliza Chancey, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 10th day of November 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 10th day of November 1944.  
W. P. HURLEY, Administrator.  
Attested by me this 10th day of November, 1944.  
J. E. SMITH, Judge of Probate Court.

## Bobbysockers Are Worrying The Retailers

### Girls in Oregon Doing Christmas Shoplifting Early

By Ann Reed Burns  
PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 24.—(AP)—Bobbysockers who shoplift for fun are baffling juvenile officials here and have Portland retailers walking on their heels.

Young girls, who seem to skip classes to shoplift as casually as boys play hooky to go fishing, have been arrested from nearly every high school and grade school in town and from some of the city's better homes.

The thefts — practically all for personal use, not for sale — have been increasing for two years. The bobbysock brigade seems to be doing its Christmas shoplifting early, and police say it beats anything they've ever seen.

A 12-year-old was caught with \$150 worth of cashmere sweaters, beads and bracelets in a shopping bag. A girl of 17 admitted stealing \$700 worth of goods in seven months to send as gifts to her sailor or sweetheart. At one glove counter a detective caught five girls, each with a stolen pair of gloves in her shoe.

**Blamed Bookkeeping**  
One department store official said shoplifting has run into so many thousands of dollars that his auditors held up inventory reports, thinking there must have been a bookkeeping error. "I've seen nothing like it in 34 years," he said.

Police Capt. Elizabeth Moorad opined that the youngsters look at shoplifting as a fad—not a crime. It's like boys tearing down street signs on Halloween. "I guess it is stealing," one tearful teen-ager confessed. "Only I did not think of it that way. It was an adventure, sort of. The other girls were doing it."

"They make a game out of it," said Captain Moorad. "A girl friend boasts about how she lifted cosmetics or jewelry. They try it out. It's easy. And they try it again."

## Wodehouse Is Given Release

By GLADWIN HILL  
PARIS, Nov. 24.—(AP)—P. G. Wodehouse, prominent British author, was conditionally released Wednesday night after being held two days by the French police on charges of aiding the Germans by broadcasts in 1941.

He will be permitted to stay in France but must live under surveillance more than 62 miles from Paris, the French police judiciary announced.

The wife of the 63-year-old humorist was taken into custody with him at his hotel but was freed this morning.

The British embassy denied intervening to have him freed, but friends of Wodehouse said it had done so. It was known at least to have kept in touch with the situation. He was the first British subject detained in France's wholesale roundup of alleged collaborators.

Wodehouse, world-famous for his novels and stories of British life and for his creation of Jeeves, the perfect butler, was caught by the Germans in 1940 when the invasion swept over his villa at Le Touquet, France.

During 1941 he made five broadcasts from Berlin, for which he was violently criticized in Britain.

After a year's internment he and his wife were permitted to come to Paris, where they lived under Gestapo supervision.

## In the Service

Pvt. John N. Petree, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Petree, 1300 West Tenth street, has won the right to wear "Wings and Boots" of the United States army paratroops. He has completed four weeks of jump training during which time he made five jumps, the last a tactical jump at night involving a combat problem on landing.

Pettis Chapter No. 279, O. E. S. will meet in regular session Friday evening, Nov. 24, at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcome. Memorial service.

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## Society

Osage chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, meets at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Charles Patterson, 1800 South Beacon avenue. Assisting hostesses are her daughter, Miss Marian Smith, Miss Ruth Fultz, Miss Nina Harris and Mrs. H. B. R. Allen.

Mrs. C. L. Hanley will read "Sarah Josepha Hale's Thanksgiving" and a paper, prepared by the late Mrs. G. L. Faulhaber, on "Early Day Experiences in Sedalia" will be read.

The Deborah class of the First Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. John Maxie and daughter, Mrs. M. L. Edwards, 120 East Broadway Tuesday for a turkey dinner, to which all contributed.

Twenty-nine members and four visitors were present, which included the new pastor and his wife Rev. and Mrs. T. W. Croxton.

An interesting talk was made by J. B. Holder, who was also a guest, on "Missions in the Pioneer Days." Mr. Holder then gave a substantial check to the class in memory of his deceased wife, who was a member of the class.

Mrs. Sallie McNeil, president of the class presided over a business meeting during the afternoon and Mrs. A. E. Monroe, the devotional which was followed by prayer by Mrs. W. O. Stanley.

Mrs. Milton Lewis, secretary read the report for the year. The treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Lizzie Stuart. Reports were also given by groups 1, 2, 3 and 4.

Mrs. W. M. Wheeler eulogized the two members of the class who have died during the year, Mrs. W. M. Grinstead and Mrs. Thompson and also Mrs. Helen Morris Welch a daughter of one of the members.

The meeting closed with a prayer by Mrs. E. L. Calvert.

The Wesleyan Service guild of Epworth Methodist church met on Tuesday night at the church for its monthly meeting and a biscuit and sausage supper.

The devotional service was led by Mrs. W. A. Green and Miss Lulu Monroe, after which a talk on "The Work of a Deaconess" was given by Mrs. Lawrence Dyer.

At the next meeting, December 12, there will be an exchange of ten-cent gifts and a covered dish supper.

A birthday dinner was given on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woolery, 1609 South Carr avenue, in honor of Mrs. Roy Walker.

Seated at the table were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Walker and daughters, Misses Helen Louise and Norma Jean Walker, Mr. and Mrs. George Evans and son, Dickie; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Matthews and children, Elaine and Jerry, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Woolery and children, Finis Dean and Raymond Paul.

## Nice Sum From Auction Sale

The Dresden Community club held its regular meeting November 14 at which time the following program was presented by Miss Lula Wheeler, social chairman:

"Battle Hymn of the Republic," audience; piano solo, Mrs. D. E. Edwards; duet, Una Fay Hudson and Beth Whitfield; reading, Daisy Woodward; song, A and B grades of Dresden school; baton twirling, LeRoy McKeehan, accompanied by Mrs. Suebelle Better.

A sum of approximately \$70 was netted from an auction sale conducted by the Homemakers' group, of which A. B. Cook is president. Walter Lemler was auctioneer.

The contest for the most popular girl was won by Anna Romig and Mrs. Frank Van Natta was declared the most particular person. Jars of honey for the sweetest couples were received by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hedderich of Sedalia.

Miss Dora Benz will be in charge of the next regular meeting, December 12. There will be an election of 1945 officers.

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## Looking Backward Forty Years Ago

P. H. Longan, former circuit clerk of Pettis county, died at the Baptist sanitarium in St. Louis last midnight.

Lester W. Hoffman, 16, son of W. W. Hoffman, trainmaster for the M. K. and T., in St. Louis, whose family resides on West Eleventh street, this city, accidentally shot himself in the right foot while out hunting Thanksgiving morning.

Twenty-five baskets of provisions to worthy poor of Sedalia were sent out by Mrs. E. A. Coe, of the Associated charities, for Thanksgiving dinners and others were called for at her office Thursday.

J. L. Cartwright, C. L. Dump and W. E. Files, were among Pettis county shippers having live stock on the St. Louis market Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Montgomery Thursday celebrated the thirty-sixth anniversary of their marriage, relatives and a few close friends being present.

The Ticket Committee of the Sedalia Symphony requests the return of unsold season tickets to Chamber of Commerce office as early as possible.—Advertisement.

**UNITED CHURCH CANVASS**  
Sedalia's United Church Canvass, November 26th to December 3rd. Each church seeks to raise money for its own purposes. Each church works independently in its own way and with its own personnel.—Adv.

**DariAnn says**

What dessert do you think of this time of year? Pumpkin pie with whipped cream? Umm! Here's a pumpkin pie recipe that's "different" for it has a slight orange taste, and with my own special topping—well, it's simply "out of this world."

**Pumpkin Pie A La Daricraft**  
1 cup pumpkin  
Brown in slightly buttered pan 10 min. stirring occasionally as you prepare following—  
1½ cups DARICRAFT (undiluted)  
¾ cup brown sugar  
1 teaspoon cinnamon  
½ teaspoon salt  
½ teaspoon ginger  
¼ cup orange juice  
2 eggs well beaten

Add to hot pumpkin, mix thoroughly and put in unbaked crust in oven at 450° for 10 min. Turn oven to 325° and bake 25 min.

Just before serving, top with following—

**Topping**  
½ cup ice cold DARICRAFT  
1 teaspoon lemon juice  
1 teaspoon orange juice  
Whip and add a grating of orange rind and  
3 tablespoons sugar  
Whip again and place in tray of refrigerator for at least 2 hours.

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Aviation Corp... 4 1/2  
Bethlehem Steel... 62 1/2  
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Coca-Cola... 65 1/2  
Curtis-Wright... 18 1/2  
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Swift and Co... 31 1/2  
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**Car Wrecked Near Lamine River Bridge**

Occupants had Disappeared. Officers Investigating

A 1934 Ford tudor sedan bearing a 1943 California license plate, crashed into an abutment on the Lamine river bridge east of Oterville, sometime about 2 o'clock this morning and was badly wrecked. Occupants of the car evidently escaped injury, as they disappeared from the wreckage before the arrival of State Trooper Pete Stohr.

The driver of the car apparently was headed east on Highway 50 and either lost control of the vehicle or went to sleep as it swerved to the left side of the pavement, struck a black and white warning board on the west end of the bridge and crashed into the concrete end of the bridge on the left side. The car came to a stop in the middle of the bridge.

**Car Damaged**  
The left front end of the car was badly damaged and the rear bumper broken off. Not a window in the car was smashed or cracked.

A Missouri license plate, 1944 issue, had number 684-373 and according to a check at Jefferson City was issued to a John J. Smith, Olean, Mo., on November 22, 1944 for a 1934 Ford tudor sedan. On the steering post of the car was a driver's license issued to a James

Price of Sacramento, California  
State troopers out of Jefferson City are making a check to determine if the car was stolen and whether or not any of the occupants were injured in the accident.

The car was towed to Elmer Arnold's garage here in Sedalia.

**The Markets**

Chicago Livestock  
CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Hogs 17,000; market very active; weights 150 pounds and down 15 to 25 cents higher; barrows and gilts over 200 pounds steady; sows 10 to 25 cents higher; good and choice 150 to 180 pounds \$13.50 to \$14.25; barrows and gilts over 200 pounds and virtually all sows \$14.00; complete clearance.

St. Louis Livestock  
NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Hogs 7,500; fairly active; weights 180 to 270 pounds 20 to 25 cents higher than Wednesday; heavier weights 10 to 20 cents higher; 170 pounds down 10 to 15 cents higher; sows 10 cents higher; butts and choice 180 to 270 pounds \$14.50 to \$14.60; mostly \$14.35 to \$14.40; top \$14.40; few merely good late \$14.20 to \$14.30; medium to choice 140 to 160 pounds \$12.90 to \$13.75; few 170 pounds \$13.85; 190 to 230 pounds \$11.00 to \$12.50; bulk sows \$13.85; stags \$13.75 down; clearance complete.

Cattle, 2,000; calves, 1,000; receipts largely cows; approximately 40 per cent of this class; quality of the few steers here, mostly common and medium; trading generally slow and prices fairly steady at the low point of the week; odd lots steers \$9.75 to \$11.50; medium heifers \$10.00 to \$12.50; few up to \$14.00; common and medium beef cows \$7.50 to \$10.75; good sausage bulls up to \$10.50; beef bulls to \$11.50; vealers unchanged; good and choice \$14.50; medium and good \$12.00 to \$13.25; 4 loads common and medium Texas slaughter calves \$10.75 to \$12.50; nominal range slaughter steers \$9.50 to \$12.75; slaughter heifers \$8.00 to \$10.75; stocker and feeder steers \$8.00 to \$12.50.

Sheep, 1,200; receipts practically all trucked in; mostly slaughter lambs with few lots yearlings and ewes; slaughter lambs opened steady to 25 cents lower; few early sales good and choice to packers \$14.30 to \$15.75; most good ewes \$5.00; few choice to \$5.50.

Kansas City Livestock  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Cattle 2,800; calves 1,300; fully steady on common slaughter steers; other steers and all other classes slow and steady; common and medium slaughter steers \$9.75 to \$12.50; good \$14.00; mostly common \$11.90; load good \$14.00; medium and good heifers \$11.50 to \$13.50; load strong weights at latter prices; odd head common and cutter cows \$7.00 to \$9.00; common and medium cows \$8.00 to \$10.50; few medium and good \$10.75 to \$12.00; medium and good sausage \$9.00 to \$10.75; medium and good slaughter calves \$11.00 to \$12.00; odd head good and choice vealers \$13.00 to \$14.00; load good fleshy feeding heifers \$11.50; package of good stock calves \$12.50.

Hogs 3,000; fairly active; 270 pounds down 10 to 15 cents higher; heavier weights and sows steady; good and choice 190 to 270 pounds \$14.20 to \$14.30; \$14.25; good and choice range ewes \$6.25; 271 pounds up and sows mostly \$13.75 to 25 cents higher; no lamb sold early; good and choice native lambs held above \$14.25; goodand choice range ewes \$6.25; 5 cars Texas \$6.00.

Chicago Poultry  
CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Live poultry: fairly easy, young stock firm; receipts 20 trucks, 3 cars; FOB prices unchanged.

Chicago Produce  
CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Butter: firm; receipts 360,033; market unchanged. Eggs: Receipts 8,581; top steady; balance weak; market unchanged.

Kansas City Produce  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Produce: All prices unchanged.

Chicago Grain Table  
CHICAGO, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—High Low Close  
WHEAT—  
Dec. 1.66 1/2 1.66 1/2 1.66 1/2  
May 1.61 1/2 1.61 1/2 1.61 1/2  
July 1.50 1.49 1/2 1.49 1/2  
Sept. 1.48 1/2 1.47 1/2 1.47 1/2  
OATS—  
Dec. 1.11 1/2 1.10 1/2 1.10 1/2  
May 1.10 1/2 1.09 1/2 1.09 1/2  
July 1.08 1/2 1.07 1/2 1.07 1/2  
Sept. 1.08 1/2 1.07 1/2 1.07 1/2  
RYE—  
Dec. 1.09 1.08 1.08 1/2  
May 1.07 1/2 1.06 1/2 1.06 1/2  
July 1.04 1/2 1.03 1/2 1.03 1/2  
Sept. 1.03 1/2 1.02 1/2 1.02 1/2  
BARLEY—  
Dec. 1.07 1/2 1.06 1/2 1.06 1/2  
May 97 1/2 96 1/2 96 1/2  
July 92 1/2 91 1/2 91 1/2

Kansas City Cash Grain  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—(WFA)—Wheat: 261 cars; hard and dark unchanged; red wheat unchanged to 1 cent lower; No. 2 dark and hard \$1.57 1/2; No. 3, \$1.56 to \$1.61; No. 2 red, nominal \$1.59 1/2 to \$1.63; No. 3, nominal \$1.58 1/2 to \$1.61 1/2. Corn: 292 cars; yellow corn 1 1/2 cent lower; mixed corn unchanged; No. 2 white, nominal \$1.25 1/2 to \$1.28; No. 3, \$1.22 1/2 to \$1.27; No. 3 yellow \$1.04 to \$1.05 1/2; No. 3, \$1.03 1/2 to \$1.06; No. 2 mixed, nominal \$1.04 to \$1.06 1/2; No. 3, nominal \$1.00 1/2 to \$1.06. Oats: 14 cars; 1/2 cent higher; No. 2 white, nominal 70 1/2 to 71 1/2; No. 3, nominal 68 1/2 to 71 1/2. Milo maize No. 1, \$1.63 to \$1.64; No. 2, \$1.59 to \$1.63; No. 3, \$1.60 to \$1.61. Rye: \$1.58 to \$1.61. Wheat futures close: Dec. \$1.55 1/2; May \$1.52 1/2; July \$1.42.

Obituaries

James R. Cole

James Read Cole, 55 years old, died at his home, Route 6, Sedalia at 9:25 o'clock Wednesday night following an illness of several weeks.

Mr. Cole was born on the farm where he died May 29, 1889, the son of the late Parmenas and Sallie Read Cole. He spent his entire life on this farm where he was born. He was never married.

He attended Camp Branch school and, later, Central Business college in Sedalia.

In 1941 he was preceded in death by his parents, his father passing away in March, 1941 and his mother passing away in June, 1941.

He is survived by two brothers, John E. Cole, of the home address, Lemuel P. Cole, LaMonte, one sister, Mrs. Ira Leiter, Sedalia. Several nieces and nephews survive also as do two aunts, Mrs. Charlotte Bohon and Mrs. M. M. Stevenson, two uncles, Dow Cole, Pilot Grove and Lemuel Cole, Red Lodge, Mont.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Camp Branch church southeast of Sedalia. The Rev. R. A. Waggoner will officiate. Interment will be in the Cole family lot in the Camp Branch cemetery.

Mrs. Frank McKinney and Miss Gladys Arnett will sing, "Going Down the Valley," and "Sometime We'll Understand."

Palbearers will be: Robert Ressler, Charles Gorrell, Charles Reid, Russell Haight, James McGrath and Lloyd Perrin.

The body was brought to the Ewing funeral home and returned to the family home Thursday evening.

William C. Lane

William C. Lane, 73 years old, who for many years operated the Lane Key company here, died at 9:20 o'clock this morning at Bothwell hospital where he had been a patient since October 21. He resided at 109 East Sixth street.

His wife preceded him in death several years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel. The body will remain at the chapel until after the services.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Roger Douglas Shoemaker

Roger Douglas Shoemaker, born Thursday morning at Bothwell hospital to Clifford Max and Edna Maxine Wainner Shoemaker, died at 3:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Surviving besides the parents are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shoemaker of Sedalia and Wesley G. Wainner of Climax Springs, Mo.

Funeral services were held at 3:00 o'clock this afternoon at the Gillespie funeral home with Rev. A. W. Kokendoff, officiating.

Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Thomas T. Cresswell

Mrs. Esther Beeler Cresswell, wife of Thomas T. Cresswell and sister of Mrs. Phil R. Burford, 1002 South Grand avenue, died at the Alton Memorial hospital, Alton Ill., Thursday morning.

Mrs. Cresswell was born at Ness City, Kas., on August 29, 1894 the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Beeler. She was a granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Challacombe. Mr. Challacombe was for twenty-five years assistant postmaster in Sedalia. Mrs. Cresswell attended school in Sedalia and on March 24, 1917 was married to Mr. Cresswell in St. Louis. Two children were born to this union, Mrs. Robert C. Griffin of St. Louis and Lieut. B. Cresswell, a paratrooper in North Carolina.

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Mrs. Henry Demand

Funeral services for Mrs. Luna Demand, widow of the late Henry Demand, who died at her home in Sedalia at 5:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, were held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon in the Lake Creek Methodist church.

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William C. Lane, 73 years old, who for many years operated the Lane Key company here, died at 9:20 o'clock this morning at Bothwell hospital where he had been a patient since October 21. He resided at 109 East Sixth street.

His wife preceded him in death several years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2:00 o'clock Monday afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel. The body will remain at the chapel until after the services.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

Roger Douglas Shoemaker

Roger Douglas Shoemaker, born Thursday morning at Bothwell hospital to Clifford Max and Edna Maxine Wainner Shoemaker, died at 3:15 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Surviving besides the parents are the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Shoemaker of Sedalia and Wesley G. Wainner of Climax Springs, Mo.

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Sedalia Girls Will Do This



Girl Scouts of this city will be out Saturday morning making their monthly collection of waste fats in the residential districts. Have your grease ready — out of the refrigerator, so it will pour easily.

planes back into action over the front.

Pvt. Holt is the husband of Mrs. Mayme Holt of 314 East Boonville street, Sedalia, Mo.

COMMUNITY NEWS from—

Green Ridge

Mrs. Verna Palmer

Thirty Green Ridge citizens have purchased season tickets for the Sedalia Symphony concerts, and approximately that number were in attendance at the first concert at Smith-Cotton high school in Sedalia.

Mrs. Floyd Smithpeter visited in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gaston, at Bosworth, a few days last week.

James Durrill, who has been serving in the Pacific with the navy, is spending a short furlough with his wife and children and is visiting his mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Durrill in Green Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Calverd and daughter, Anita Kay, visited in the home of Clinton relatives Sunday.

Cpl. Eugene Wallen, who has been stationed at a Wisconsin camp, recently visited Mr. and Mrs. Elias Arnett, northeast of Green Ridge, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wallen, of DeSoto, Kas.

Miss Lucile Brown, registered nurse employed in a St. Louis hospital, has returned to duty after a three-weeks vacation spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brown, and with friends at Deepwater, LaMonte and Sedalia.

Pvt. Harold Morley is now serving in France and has recently visited Paris, according to a letter received by his sister, Mrs. Guy Ridenour.

Sgt. and Mrs. Gordon Brownfield and baby recently arrived in Green Ridge from Ft. Bragg, N. C., after a short visit in the home of Mrs. Brownfield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rance Ray, Sgt. Brownfield left for the east coast.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Haynes attended the funeral in Warsaw of their friend, Mr. Eoff, retired druggist. He was a former partner of W. C. Haynes' father, Dr. E. F. Haynes.

Mrs. Vignette Miller and son Stanley are visiting in the home of Mr. Miller's brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. Miller, in Minnesota.

Earl Miller, son of C. A. Miller of Green Ridge, has arrived on the west coast from the central Pacific, and is a hospital patient, according to a letter received by his father.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Annie Veach Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Heubner and son Clayton of Manila, Mrs. Lucille Wharton of Sedalia, Mrs. Curtis Veach of Tipton, and Mr. and Mrs. Ward Lacy and children of near Green Ridge.

The Home Builders class of the Presbyterian church held the regular monthly meeting at the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. G. W. Kirschner. After a short business session, during which plans were made for the annual Christmas party, to be held this year at the home of Mrs. Carl Johnson on the next regular meeting day, a Bible quiz was conducted by Mrs. Kirschner. Refreshments were served the 22 members present and one visitor, Mrs. Myrtle Farley.

The Green Ridge school band attended the football game in Warrentsburg Saturday and played several numbers.

Sgt. Emmet Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Cox of Green Ridge, who has been stationed at Fort Ord, Calif., has been given an A. P. O. out of San Francisco.

S/Sgt. Harold A. Palmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Palmer, who has been stationed the past month at Greensboro, N. Car., has been given an A. P. O. out of New York.

Mrs. Arnold Calvert has returned from Boonville where she was a visitor in the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butcher.

Pvt. Junior Buckley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Buckley, is now stationed in Holland, according to a letter received from him this week.

A double garage on the farm of Mrs. Myrtle Morris burned Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chaney are living on the place.

AN AIR SERVICE COMMAND DEPOT IN ENGLAND—Crippled jeeps waiting repairs mean bottlenecks in war transportation and Pvt. Stanley M. Holt is a bottle-neck-busting driver.

He was commended recently by Brigadier General Isaac W. Ott, commanding general here at the largest Air Service Command aircraft repair depot in Britain for his care in keeping his jeep off the "headline."

He and his buddies set an all-time record by having every one of their jeeps in top operating shape, with not a single one headlined through accidents or breakdowns.

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Plastic Coated Rayon Ruffled Edge, Easy to Clean

**\$1.00 Value 77¢**

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**6-OUNCE HEATPROOF CUSTARD CUP**

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WITH 50¢ PURCHASE except tobacco, soap or fountain. Limit 2 to each customer. No Mail Orders.

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**ALL STEEL SKILLET**

9 1/2 INCH SIZE • RUSTLESS

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4 ROLLS FOR

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**AMERICAN ACE MATCHES**

GIANT BOXES 5 FOR

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**MAR-O-OIL SHAMPOO**

150¢ VALUE

**53¢**

**KENTUCKY CLUB SMOKING TOBACCO**

2 15¢ POCKET PACKS

**15¢**

**DR. LYON'S TOOTH POWDER**

**29¢**

**DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS**

**49¢**

**MISTOL NOSE DROPS**

**15¢**

**PERUNA TONIC**

115¢ VALUE

**79¢**

**KRANK'S SHAVE KREEM**

WITH DEXIN 1/2 LB. JAR

**19¢**

**HILL'S COLD TABLETS**

**19¢**

**ANACIN PAIN TABLETS**

BOX OF 12

**13¢**

**LYSOL DISINFECTANT**

3 OUNCES

**17¢**

**JERGEN'S FACE CREAM**

**47¢**

**VITAWINE RINSO**

VITAMIN AND IRON TONIC—8 OZ.

**\$1.18**

WASHES FASTER

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**KITCHEN KLENZER**

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**FRESH POUND TOBACCOS**

• Velvet • Half & Half • Raleigh • Dills Best • Model • Big Ben • Prince Albert • Kentucky Club (14 oz.)

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**SMOKE A PIPE**

Complete Selection of DR. GRABOW PIPES

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Metal braced. \$2.50 Value

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Take MENTHO-MULSION

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**VITAMINS Plus**

Taken only once a day, provides all 6 essential vitamins A, B1, C, D, G and Niacin, also liver fractions and iron.

**3 SIZES 75¢ \$1.47 \$2.69**

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Choice of Shades.....

**49¢**

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Will rid your home of mice or money refunded. Quick, sure, easy, and ready to use.

**33¢**

**EYE TROUBLE?**

If eyes feel tired... smart... burn... try OCULINE Eye Drops. OCULINE is a real aid to nature in soothing... cleansing... tired, weary eyes!

1/2 OZ.....49¢ 1 OZ.....73¢

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**PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED at CROWN by Registered Pharmacists**

**ZONITE THE MODERN ANTISEPTIC**

60¢ VALUE

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**STAINLESS STEEL PARING KNIFE**

Form-Fit Plastic Handles. \$1.25 VALUE

**98¢**

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• 100 Sheets • 50 Envelopes

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Filled with Shave Soap.....

**97¢**

**PREP SHAVING SET**

• 2 Jars Cream • After-Shave Talc • After-Shave Lotion

**\$1.25**

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**COMPLETE TOY DEPT.**

**DOLL**

Completely Dressed with Movable Legs and Arms

**ONLY \$2.69**

**PANDA BEAR**

Giant Size Movable eyes. Soft and Woolly.

**\$4.29**

**"WALKIE TALKIE"**

Combat phone & Toy Range Finder

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A Pull Toy With Action and Sound.

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**GO TO WORK ON THAT COLD MISERY**

Get these wonderful 8-IN-1 COLD TABLETS. 8 effective medicines combined to fight cold distress.

Large Economy Pkg. 27c

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No Soap ever washed dishes, silks and woolens so fast, so clean, so safely as

**SOAPLESS SUDS**

7 TIMES MORE SUDS than purest soap flakes—in 3 seconds!

CLEANS FINEST FABRICS AND STOCKINGS without fading or dulling colors!

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12 OZ. SIZE (enough for 108 washings)..... **59¢**

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Fun for young and old. Rajah answers questions.

**98¢**

**10-PIECE MILITARY SET**

\$3.00 VALUE

**\$2.59**

Plus 20% Tax

**3-PIECE DRESSER SET**

Plastic trimmed Comb, Brush, and Mirror

**\$7.25 VALUE \$6.50**

**Harriet Hubbard Ayer AYERISTOCRAT FACE POWDER**

Rachel - Peach - Ayerblonde Ayerrose - Sunrose Flesh - Ayerbrunnette

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New kind of skin care! Make this free test—on your own skin. Use the purse-size bottle of Balm Barr that you get free with purchase of 60c jar. If not positively delighted at the way this new skin care softens and smooths, return large size for full cash refund. Balm Barr contains anhydrous lanolin, nature's own skin care.

Regular 60c jar, and 10c purse-size jar only... **60¢**

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**KILLS HOUSEHOLD ODOR!**

from cooking—smoking or improper ventilation. Economical to use.

ODAC SPRAY For Instant Fresh Air

**57¢**

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MAIL ORDERS FILLED on all items except where marked. Add 20% on Toiletries. Add 10% for postage and sales tax. Prices good until midnight, November 25. Address your nearest Crown Store.

**FASTEETH Alkaline DENTAL PLATE POWDER**

**49¢**

**YANKY CLOVER 3 PC. GIFT SET**

Contains Dusting Powder, Toilet Water, Sachet Bag.

**\$3.00**

ALL FOR..... Plus 20% Tax

**ELMO SET Photofinish Make-up and Lipstick**

ALL FOR..... **\$2.50**

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**SATURDAY MENU**

35¢ Chicken pie with mashed potatoes Choice of vegetable and salad Hot rolls and butter Hot tea or coffee

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Home Made pie 10c

**CHERAMY FROLIC Gift Set**

Tale, Perfume, Toilet Water.

**\$3.50**

Plus 20% Tax

**MAX FACTOR GIFT SET**

Contains Powder, Rouge and Lipstick

**\$2.50**

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**"GRIFFON" MANICURE SET**

Nail File, Scissors, Tweezers, Clippers, Emery Stick

In Leather Case..... **\$4.89**

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**CHEN YU KIT**

Makeup Kit with Nail Lacquer, Lacquerol, and Polish Remover

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**BODY POWDER MITTS**

Filled with de-lightfully fragrant Sifted Talc.

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**CUTEX MANICURE SET**

Attractive. Box contains Cuticle Remover, Polish, Oily Polish Remover, Emery Boards, Orange Stick and White Pencil.....

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Face Powder, Lipstick, Rouge Parfait.

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**LUSTRE CREME THE NEW CREME SHAMPOO DISCOVERY**

**\$1.00**

**STARLET CAKE MAKE-UP**

Flattering Shades..... **50¢**

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**DRENE SHAMPOO**

For Regular or Dry Hair

60c VALUE..... **49¢**

**PEPSI-COLA**

6-BOTTLE CARTON

**25¢**

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LARGE SIZE PACKAGE OF 18 15c VALUE

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**DANCE: FLORENCE, Highway 135.** Saturday night, Nov. 25th. Soldiers welcome.  
**DUE TO FIRE** no market for scrap paper for three or four weeks. All other junk bought as usual. S. B. Cohen Salvage Company.  
**10-Strayed, Lost, Found**  
**LOST:** Brindle and white part bull dog, child's pet. Call 2983.  
**STRAYED:** Bay mare, 3 miles southeast of Sedalia. Write Johnny Moore, Route 5.  
**LOST:** Bank book belonging to Elaine Lee Barkage, 1203 West Main. Phone 2017. Reward.  
**LOST:** BROWN PURSE—containing ration books, important papers. Reward, 713 South Engineer.  
**LOST:** Brown zipper coin purse, containing money, receipts and identification. Mrs. H. E. Braden. Phone 3793.  
**STRAYED:** Half-breed dog, male black with white markings. Reward. 8 miles west on Main street road. Arthur Turner, route 3, Sedalia, Missouri.

## II-Automotive

**11-Automobiles for Sale**  
**GOOD USED CARS—15th and Ohio, Archie Decker.**  
**1932 CHEVROLET sedan,** good condition, good tires. Phone 1719.  
**1940 1 1/2 TON DODGE—new** two ton motor. 24 foot Keystone trailer with stock rack. Truck and trailer, extra good. Good rubber, 8-25-20 tires. Will sell separate. Byron Miller, 1004 East Franklin Street, Clinton, Missouri. Phone 525.  
**1937 PACKARD—Tudor Sedan,** model 120C. 1937 Chevrolet pickup. 1936 Chevrolet Coupe. 1941 Plymouth Coach. 1936 Pontiac. 1935 Chevrolet 4 door sedan. 1934 Chevrolet coach. 1931 Pontiac coach. 1929 Model A Ford. One piano, one blacksmith forge. Mike Donahoe, 1419 South Limit and 65 Highway.  
**11-A-House Trailer for Sale**  
**1934 KINGHAM semi-trailer,** good condition. Call 2047.  
**12-Auto Trucks for Sale**  
**1937 CHEVROLET panel truck,** Kipping's Seed Store. Phone 451 or 1792-J.  
**1938 CHEVROLET TRUCK—good** condition. 121 East Henry. Morris Johnson.  
**13-Auto Accessories, Tires Parts**  
**PHILLIPS CLEANER and stove** gas. Allowance made on new tires and batteries. Phillips Service Station, 7th and Ohio.  
**16-Repairing—Service Stations**  
**FREE USED MOTOR OIL:** Bring container. Floral Station, 16th and 65, Sedalia, Missouri.  
**17-Wanted Automotive**  
**USED CARS:** Swafford Service Station, 4th and Osage. Phone 2331.

## III-Business Service

**18-Business Services Offered**  
**PEABODY RADIO SERVICE—22** years at 1319 South Osage. Phone 854.  
**RADIO REPAIRING at Cecil's** Bicycle Shop, 704 South Ohio. 3987.  
**MACHINE WORK—Prompt** service, reasonable prices. Wholesale Auto Parts, Sedalia, Missouri. Homer Hall, 205 South Osage Phone 766.  
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**PAINTING AND DECORATING**—Free estimate, work guaranteed. Phone 3716.  
**IV-Employment**

**32-Help Wanted—Female**  
**STENOGRAPHER** for general office work during tax season. Guy Peabody. Phone 302.  
**GIRLS WANTED:** Apply Dorn Cloney's Dry Cleaning Department.  
**HOUSEKEEPER**—middle aged, white, adults. Stay nights. Phone 1913.  
**WAITRESS AND DISHWASHER** wanted. Nifty Cafe, 210 South Lamine.  
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**SALESWOMEN**—To travel for national credit organization. If making less than \$100 weekly, you owe it to yourself to investigate. Write fully—Retail Board of Trade, Kansas City Branch Office, R. A. Long Building, Kansas City, Missouri.  
**33-Help Wanted—Male**  
**SERVICE STATION WORK—** Browns Automotive Clinic, 3rd and Osage.  
**WANTED BELL BOY—8** hour shift, salary and tips. Must be 16. Hotel Bothwell.  
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**UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD—** will give you free transportation and pay while in training on work brakemen and switchmen; location Western and Pacific Coast points. Also openings other occupations on this railroad. Apply Union Pacific Railroad Representative, Railroad Retirement Board Employment Service Office, 523 South Ohio Street, Sedalia, Missouri.  
**WESTERN PACIFIC Railroad** Company will furnish free transportation and pay while in training on occupation of brakemen. Also experienced section foremen, brakemen and switchmen badly needed. Apply to representative, Western Pacific Railroad Company, Railroad Retirement Board Employment Service Office, 523 South Ohio Street, Sedalia, Missouri.  
**SOUTHERN PACIFIC Railroad** Company will furnish free transportation on work brakemen or switchmen. Also carmen, painters, building and bridge carpenters, signalmen, telegraphers, pipefitters, blacksmiths, electricians, machinists, sheetmetal workers, boilermakers badly needed. Apply Southern Pacific Railroad Company Representative, Railroad Retirement Board Employment Service Office, 523 South Ohio Street, Sedalia, Missouri.

## 33-Help Wanted—Male

**KAISER WEST COAST SHIPYARDS**  
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**Continued**  
**WANTED MAN** for sales and warehouse work. Steady employment for the right party. Archias Seed Store.  
**33-A Salesmen**  
**SALESMEN**—To travel for national credit organization. If making less than \$100 weekly, you owe it to yourself to investigate. Write fully—Retail Board of Trade, Kansas City Branch Office, R. A. Long Building, Kansas City, Missouri.  
**34-Help—Male and Female**  
**WANTED GIRL OR BOY** for popcorn room. Must be over 16. Apply Fox Theatre.  
**BOOKKEEPER** to learn machine bookkeeping. Must be accurate. Time and one-half over 40 hours. State age, experience, and salary expected. Address Box No. 12 care Democrat.  
**SHOE WORKERS—Fitting room;** lasting room; finishing room; and packing. Highest wages, ideal working conditions, permanent steady work with a post war future, write Jack Altman, 608 North 21st Street, St. Louis, Missouri.  
**36-Situation Wanted—Female**  
**HOUSEWORK:** About 2 days a week in nice home. Write Box "70" care Democrat.

## V-Financial

**40-Money to Loan—Mortgages**  
**CHOICE FARM LOANS 4%,** no commission. See W. D. Smith.  
**REAL ESTATE LOANS:** Low rates, favorable terms, liberal and convenient prepayment privileges. No inspection fee. The NET RATE and SERVICE RENDERED is worth investigating. Herbert L. Zoernig, 112 West 4th.

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**108 EAST 5TH STREET**  
 Phone: 108  
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## VII-Live Stock

**47-Dogs, Cats, other Pets**  
**POINTER BIRD DOG**—Phone 1005 Florence, Missouri. H. R. Kanenbley.  
**COCKER PUPPIES**—7 weeks, only 4 left. Pedigreed, "Juniors Breezy Kennel". Emil Lange, Jr. 1625 West 16th.  
**48-Horses, Cattle other Stock**  
**OR TRADE REGISTERED Pole**—Shorthorn Roan bull. Elmer Sparks. Phone 2791.  
**REGISTERED HOLSTEIN—Bull** calves, yearling Guernsey bull, stock dog. Brookdale Farms, Smithton, Missouri.  
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**49-Poultry and Supplies**  
**CAPON AND HENS,** 6 to 9 pounds. 702 North Stewart.  
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**GEES—James Ellis,** Route 5, 1st road southeast of Missouri Pacific Underpass. James Ellis.

## VIII-Merchandise

**51-Articles for Sale**  
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**CHILDREN'S WAGONS,** rocking horses, towel racks, sewing cabinets, whatnots. Toys made to order. Order now for Christmas, 709 East 10th Street. Phone 3872.  
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**32 CALIBER** Colts automatic. See Riley, Police Station.  
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**WILL TRADE—3** boxes, 16 gauge shells for 410 gauge 3 inch shells. Phone 62-F-3.  
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**\$1.79 up**  
 Corn Shellers ..... \$2.50  
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 Heaters ..... \$49.25  
 Electric Pump Jacks ..... \$4.55  
 Saw Mandrel ..... \$35.25  
 Hammer Mill Belt, 60 foot ..... \$2.29  
 Oil Heated Poultry Fountain ..... 8c  
 Place-o-glass, 36 inch width, per lineal foot ..... \$13.75  
 Battery ..... \$13.75  
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 Heavy Duty Milk Can, 10 gallon ..... \$5.40  
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**4 ACRE TRACT—good** improvement. A. Y. Rhinard, route 1, Beaman, Missouri.  
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**YEH! GOVERNOR HOLLET IS COMING HERE TO INVESTIGATE... AND IF HE GETS TO THE BOTTOM OF IT...**  
**I SAW! WE'LL ALL GO TO TH' PENITENTIARY! YES—UNLESS HE MEETS WITH AN ACCIDENT BEFORE HE FINDS OUT!**

## ALLEY OOP

**RIGHT ON SCHEDULE, TOO! IT MUST HAVE BEEN RUSS! YOU GUYS LOOK PRETTY BATTERED!**  
**WELL, ELBERT, HERE WE ARE, MORE OR LESS INTACT!**  
**GOONESS! AFTER ALLEY LOOKS LIKE HE'D BEEN PLAYING WITH MULES!**  
**I'LL SAY WE ARE!**  
**NO WE COULDN'T MAKE THE GRADE... THERE ARE SOME THINGS IN MAN'S HISTORY, I GUESS THAT WILL HAVE TO REMAIN VEILED IN MYSTERY!**  
**LOOK OOO... YOU AN' YE AN' DOC'S GOTTA HAVE A CONFERENCE FORE HE SENDS TH' MOOVING BACK HOME!?**

## BEFORE WE SAY GOODBYE

**THANKFUL WE ARE HEADED FOR VICTORY? BUY WAR BONDS AND PROVE IT!**

## BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

**TO COIN A PHRASE, A PENNY FOR YOUR THOUGHTS**  
**THEY AREN'T THOUGHTS! THEY'RE PLANS, BOOTS! IF YOU'D COOPERATE!**  
**MAYBE YOU'RE RIGHT.**

## BOISE!

**MAYBE I SHOULD GO BACK HOME! BUT I MEAN—WELL...**  
**HEY! WOT'S TH' CAPITAL OF IDAHO?**

## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

**I THINK IT'S YOUR FATHER! I DETECT A PINCH MOVEMENT!**  
**YES—YES— I AGREE WITH YOU!**

## SOUNDS RUGGED

**...AND I BELIEVE THESE CRAZY FADS WOULD END IF THE KIDS WERE GIVEN LARGE DOSES OF STUDYING TO DO! THE TREATMENT SHOULD BE GIVEN AT SCHOOL! HAVE BOOKS ON EVERY KID'S MIND!**  
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Notice of Stockholders' Meeting  
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No. 8190  
Administrator's Notice  
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Edwin J. Eck, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 8th day of November, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 8th day of November 1944.  
FRANK C. ECK,  
Administrator.

Attested by me this 8th day of November, 1944.  
J. E. SMITH,  
Judge of Probate Court.

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## Missouri Wins 28-0; Kekeris Hero of Game

19,969 Attend Event in Kansas City Stadium

By Arthur Edson  
KANSAS CITY, Nov. 24.—(P)—If money talks, then \$44,000 positively shouts.

That's why Kansas City fans think that the annual Kansas-Missouri Thanksgiving football game, won by Missouri yesterday 28-0, may be back in this town that spawned it, for keeps.

For 19,969 paying customers, who more than filled Ruppert stadium, chipped in approximately \$44,000 to see this 53rd renewal of a carefully nourished border warfare despite the fact that:

(1) Neither Missouri nor Kansas had won as many games as it had lost.

(2) A baseball park (Ruppert) is the nesting place for the Kansas City Blues of the American Association isn't the best spot in the world from which to peer at a football game.

This autumn madness started here, you know, in 1891 and hung around until 1910 when it was switched to the campuses. There it stayed until wartime transportation problems shoved it back into Kansas City this year.

Maybe a New Stadium  
Kansas City has a scheme that may be added bait to keep the two schools around. One of its post-war plans calls for a big municipal stadium and the idea seems to be this: The schools will be attracted by the puddy financial returns and in turn the game will help pay for the stadium. A cozy idea, all the way around.

As for the game itself, the hero was Jim Kekeris and rarely has there been a bigger one. For Kekeris weighs 273 pounds, and the fellow who weighed him is a confessed conservative. This 20-year old Missouri monster has been employed in the line as a tackle and

## Kekeris Scores for Missouri



James Kekeris (shown by arrow), 273-pound Missouri tackle who was shifted to fullback, scores the first touchdown at Ruppert Stadium at Kansas City against Kansas university. Missouri won, 28 to 0. Kekeris went over from the one-foot line. No. 49 is Jim Murphy and No. 8 is Bob Eigelberger, both Missouri ends. No. 53 is Gordon Reynolds, Kansas end and No. 46 of Kansas is Cecil Langford, a tackle. (AP Wirephoto)

previously claimed fame with this sentence after each game: "The points after touchdown were kicked by Kekeris."

Yesterday Kekeris moved into the backfield... and inflated that one sentence into a whole story. He carried the ball 15 times, gained 86 yards, whammed across for two touchdowns, kicked four extra points and a dancup (the word is used literally) job on defense.

Shows Surprising Ability  
The surprising thing about Kekeris is that while track records don't tremble when he starts moving, he gets under way speedily and shows surprising ability for one who comes in such wholesale lots. Once he even pivoted daintily around a surprised would-be Kansas tackler.

But stick around, folks, there are two more games on tap this week involving Big Sixers. Nebraska plays Kansas State and there's a non-conference game featuring Oklahoma and Oklahoma A. & M., another brace of tooth and toenail feuders.

## Sports Roundup

By Hugh Fullerton, Jr.  
NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—(P)—Amateur night... Latest report on the off-again-on-again maneuvers about bringing Gunder Haegg and Arne Anderson, the Swedish speedsters, to the United States this winter is that they're both open to persuasion... Gunder Haegg has escaped from Sture

Olsson, the Malmoe haberdasher who objected to losing his best tie salesman during the Christmas rush, into the army... Now the Swedish Athletic association hopes to postpone his military service for the projected tour... Next step is to convince Anderson, who says "not even per Albin Hansson" (The Swedish prime minister) can get him to travel without his wife, that it won't be so bad after all... Meanwhile American track fans probably are asking "how much are those guys holding out for?"

Pickin' Pickins  
(Ohio State vs. Michigan)  
The team from Ann Arbor Takes a trip to the barber. (Cornell vs. Pennsylvania)  
After Navy and Army  
The team coached by Mungler Will think that Cornell Is strictly from hunger. (Georgia Tech vs. Notre Dame)  
We think Tech's golden tornado Will be mashed like an Irish potato.

Shorts and Shells  
Now that Jimmy Crowley has joined Elmer Layden in the ranks of pro football commissioners, the other two projected pro leaguers should know where to look for their head men... And the four horsemen likely would find the club owners as stubborn as seven mules... Tomorrow's Penn State-Pitt game will mark the 100th consecutive contest for Neil Fleming, Penn State's graduate manager...

No. 9185  
Administrator's Notice  
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Alta M. Davis, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of October, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of October 1944.  
EDWARD F. DAVIS,  
Administrator.

Attested by me this 17th day of October, 1944.  
J. E. SMITH,  
Judge of Probate Court.

No. 9181  
Executrix's Notice  
Notice is hereby given, that Letters Testamentary on the Estate of Celia Devine, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 17th day of October, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Executrix within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 17th day of October 1944.  
CECELIA HONKOMP,  
Executrix.

Attested by me this 17th day of October, 1944.  
J. E. SMITH,  
Judge of Probate Court.

## YOU GOTTA THINK QUICK

By Stanley Palay  
Copyright, 1944, NEA Service, Inc.  
THE STORY: To get away from Ginger, Kabatek thinks it would be a good idea to go to California for a while. How, and if such a thing is possible, Kabatek stays at the Plaza Hotel in Hollywood.  
XVII  
IT was the third day since I'd left New York. The sun beat down on the dusty road that looked as if it had no end but went on into space. And there was dust everywhere. On the once gleaming hood. On the crystal Goddess. And on the windshield.  
Who cared?  
I switched on the radio but the reception was so bad I switched it off again. Was this the third day? The third week? Or the third year? It seemed to me I'd been driving since time began.  
What was Ginger doing now? I gripped the wheel harder. Don't think about her, I told myself. Don't think about her!  
How many miles from that next tree to the red brick house way over there? Two? Or three, maybe?  
What? Not even one! Who'd have thought a mile was that long? Eighteen hundred and twelve miles between Omaha and Los Angeles. I'd looked it up on the map. Eighteen hundred and twelve! That was the name of a Russian composition. Tchaikovsky. It had something to do with the Napoleonic wars and there was the sound of cannon in it. Cannon shooting. Guns shooting. Boggio. Boggio and Ginger.  
Cut it out, Leo! And stop talking to yourself.  
Seventy-five. Eighty. Eighty-five. That's right! Keep up that speed so long as there's no chance of being nabbed by the cops. Keep it up. It's the only way to forget.  
A HITCH-HIKER standing on the edge of the road somewhere between Omaha and North Platte changed the entire course of that trip. He changed it, but

For the past eight years Woonsocket, R. I., high school has had a Rotatori playing center; first it was Oscar, then his cousins, Jimmy and Al... Columbus, Neb., can beat that record with seven Brock brothers starting for the past 15 years. One of them, Charlie, now plays center for the Packers. The youngest, Johnny, still is in high school.

Service Dept.  
Dick Kanslen, former national AAU pole vault champion, has been promoted to captain in China, where he has been training and fighting with the Chinese troops as a member of the American "Y-force"... The Fort Pierce, Fla., Amphibs are putting up Clyde Jeffrey as a rival to Illinois' Buddy Young for the title of "fastest football player." Clyde, who alternates

IN THE PROBATE COURT  
STATE OF MISSOURI  
COUNTY OF PETTIS  
Be it remembered, that on Saturday, November 18th, 1944, the same being the sixth day of November Term, thereof, of said Court, the following among other proceedings was had before said Court, and entered of record, to-wit:

Order of Publication  
Number 9184  
In the matter of the Estate of John Frederick Aldred, deceased. Anna Aldred, Administratrix.  
Anna Aldred, Administratrix of the estate of John Frederick Aldred, deceased, presents to the Court her petition, praying for an order for the sale of so much of the real estate of said deceased, described as follows, to-wit: All that part of the Southwest Quarter of the Southeast Quarter of Section Thirty-three (33) in Township Forty-six (46), Range Twenty-two (22), in Pettis County, Missouri, lying north of the public road, containing twenty-eight (28) acres, more or less as will pay and satisfy the remaining debts due by said estate, and yet unpaid for want of sufficient assets, accompanied by the accounts, list, and inventories required by law in such case. On examination whereof, it is ordered that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased be notified that application as aforesaid has been made, and that unless the contrary be shown on or before Tuesday, December 26th, 1944, an order will be made for the sale of the whole or so much of the real estate of said deceased as will be sufficient for the payment of said debts; and it is further ordered that this notice be published in some newspaper in Pettis County, this State for four weeks prior to said date.

Attest: A true copy from the Record. (Seal)  
Probate Court, Pettis County, Mo.  
Judge and Ex-Officio Clerk of Probate Court, Pettis County, Missouri.

She had been tracing a pattern in the dirt with a little twig and now looked up at me in surprise. "Hello!" I said. "Hello!" Her eyes were a clear blue. That was all you noticed at first. "Want a ride?" I asked. "A big guy came over to us, gingerly carrying a paper cup. I hadn't noticed him before because the water cooler was at the far side of the station. He handed the cup to the girl and she began drinking. When she finished the water she crumpled the cup and looked up at the fellow. "This gentleman wants to give us a ride." Like hell, I did. I wanted to give her one. The fellow beamed. "That's swell!" "But what about Joe?" "Don't you think he's kept us waiting long enough. Maybe those brakes are acting up again." "But he promised. He'd have phoned us here." "Who is this Joe?" I interrupted. "A friend of ours," said the girl. "He drives a beer truck." "Wouldn't you rather ride in a \$3000 car?" "What's the price got to do with it?" That stymied me. I shrugged and stepped on the starter. "One minute, please," said the fellow. He turned to the girl. "We can leave him a note. After all it's getting pretty late." She thought it over. "Maybe you're right." Opening her bag, she took out a pencil and paper and began scribbling. I switched off the motor and got out of the car. There was plenty of room in the luggage compartment for those two cheap-looking but neat suitcases. By the time I had them stowed away, the note had been given to the gas station attendant. I opened the door and made the fellow get into the back seat. Boy friend or husband, that was where he was going to sit. All alone. I was perfectly willing to play Good Samaritan. But one doesn't have to exaggerate. (To Be Continued)

with Bill Daley and Jack Brown in the Amphibs' backfield ran 100 yards in 9.4 when he was at Stanford while Buddy's time is 9.5... Rolie Hemsley, ex-Yankees catcher, has reported to the Navy physical instructors' school at Bainbridge, Md.

No. 9182  
Administrator's Notice  
Notice is hereby given, that Letters of Administration on the Estate of Russell Bedworth Nixon, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 14th day of October, 1944, by the Probate Court of Pettis County, Missouri.

All persons having claims against said Estate are required to exhibit them for allowance to the Administrator within six months after the date of said letters or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate, and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of this publication, they shall be forever barred.

This 14th day of October 1944.  
THOMAS MILLS NIXSON,  
Administrator.

Attested by me this 14th day of October, 1944.  
J. E. SMITH,  
Judge of Probate Court.

SHERIFF'S SALE IN PARTITION  
By virtue and authority of an order of sale in partition, issued from the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Pettis County, Missouri, dated the 8th day of November, 1944, and to me directed in favor of Viola L. Trueblood, Edgar M. Harris, Clement E. Harris, Percy T. Harris, Herman E. Harris, Verna J. Jewell, Leona Farrand, Lillian M. Jewell, Jessie M. Fleming, Margaret K. Gunnell, Shirley R. Monts, Robert W. Monts and William B. Dix, as plaintiffs and against Vera A. Jones, Minnie Eleanor DeLong, Thomas J. Dix and Albert R. Dix, defendants, and it appearing to the court that the plaintiffs are entitled to the relief prayed for in their petition, ordered that the property described in plaintiff's petition be sold by the sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, as provided by law in such cases. Now therefore, in order to comply with the terms of said order of sale, I, the undersigned sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri, shall proceed to sell the said real estate, so ordered sold, and situated in Pettis County, Missouri, to-wit:

The West Nine feet of Lot number Three and all of Lots numbered Four (4), Five (5) and Six (6) in Block number One (1) of Stewart and Thompson's First Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

Also, beginning at a point twelve and one-half feet west and twenty-seven feet north of the southeast corner of Lot Number One (1) in Block Number One (1) of Stewart and Thompson's First Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri; thence north along the west line of Quincy Avenue as now opened and maintained Seventy-one feet; thence west parallel with the north line of said block, one hundred twenty-nine and one-half feet; thence south parallel with the west line of said Quincy Avenue seventy-one feet; thence east parallel with the north line of said block one hundred twenty-nine and one-half feet to the place of beginning.

And also Lots numbered Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve in Block number One of Stewart and Thompson's Addition to the city of Sedalia, Missouri, except the following described tract to-wit: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Lot number Twelve in Block number One of said Stewart and Thompson's Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri; thence west 142 feet; thence north 45 feet; thence East 142 feet; thence south 45 feet to the place of beginning.

Commencing at the northwest corner of Block 23 of Cotton Brothers Second Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri, running thence south along the east line of Osage Avenue 90 feet; thence east 130 feet to the West line of an alley running north and south through said block; thence north along the west line of said alley 90 feet; thence west along the north line of said block 130 feet to place of beginning; otherwise known and described as Lots 1 and 2 in Block 23 of Cotton Brothers Second Addition to the City of Sedalia, Missouri.

In Pettis County, Missouri, and I will on Saturday the 2nd day of December 1944 between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the west front door of the court house, in the city of Sedalia, Pettis County, Missouri, and while the circuit court is in session, sell the above described real estate at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in hand in order to comply with the said order of sale.

Dated this 8th day of November, 1944.  
C. R. BOWWELL,  
Sheriff of Pettis County, Missouri.  
Montgomery, Martin and Salveit, attorneys.  
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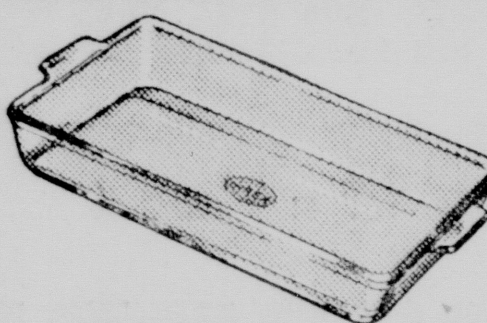
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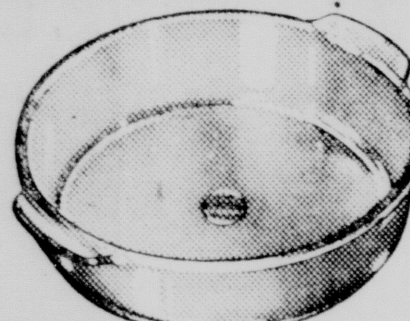


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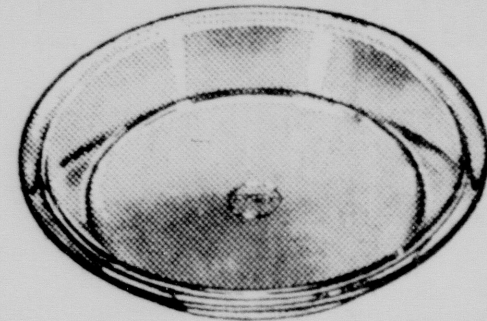
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## General Lear Congratulates

Wednesday evening a congratulatory telegram was received at 6 o'clock by Charles L. Hanley, Pettis County War Finance committee chairman, expressing great satisfaction in Pettis county exceeding its sixth war loan quota at such an early time. It was from Lt. General Ben Lear and was filed from Washington, D. C.

It reads:

Washington, D. C.,  
22 November 1944  
5:45 P. M.

C. L. Hanley, Pettis County War Finance Chairman: Congratulations to you and the People of Pettis county for exceeding your quota at such an early date. This is the support that the American fighting men appreciate. Keep it up.

Signed,  
Lt. General Ben Lear  
Commanding General,  
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DAILY WASHINGTON

## Merry-go- Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24 — For at least three months, during the campaign, all Roosevelt factions—liberals, conservatives, New Dealers—stuck together. None criticized another publicly. Hatchets were buried to promote the common cause.

But last week, sparks flew again when liberal Attorney General Francis Biddle called in even more liberal Assistant Attorney General Littell and asked for his resignation. The session culminated in a bitter long smoldering personal feud between them.

"You realize," said Biddle, "that you and I cannot part as friends."

"We certainly can never part as friends," snapped back Littell. Real fact is that Littell has been the justice department's most hard hitting crusader for New Deal policies, has crusaded so hard that he was frequently far ahead of his more cautious cabinet chief. It was Littell who threw an unceremonious monkey-wrench into the navy's plan to lease its precious Elk Hills oil reserve to Standard Oil of California. He stopped the deal.

It was Littell who tangled with the Army over its plan to turn Palm Beach's swank Breakers Hotel back to the Florida East Coast Railway at great cost to the taxpayers after spending millions converting it to a hospital.

It was Littell who fought the title companies in order to get the titles to government-purchased land cleared more quickly, thus speeding up payments to thousands of farmers forced to give up their land to Army camps.

Littell was in the thick of almost every justice department fight involving liberal causes and each fight got him more in the attorney general's thinning hair. What especially nettled Biddle was the way in which some senators and congressmen got hold of Littell's interdepartmental reports, used them to fire back at Biddle. This week Littell's senatorial friends plan to light more bonfires under Biddle regarding the resignation of his tempestuous, hard-hitting liberal assistant.

### Air-Parley Incident

On the day the international air conference opened in Chicago's Stevens hotel, the room clerk found himself confronted by two Russians who wanted rooms for the duration of the conference.

"Your reservations have been cancelled," replied the clerk.

"Who cancelled them?" asked one Russian.

"The State Department."

"That's outrageous," responded the Russian. "They can't do this to us. We'll protest to our government."

"Okay—protest," replied the clerk. "We have our orders."

The Russians then called their consul in Chicago, learned for the first time what had been headline news—that the Soviet Union had pulled out of the air conference.

### Government Versus Private Power

Most congressional committee meetings just before Thanksgiving were sparsely attended. With the lame-duck congress about to bow out, the senate has been meeting haphazardly. Many seats have been vacant, many senators have been resting from the recent campaign.

But when the senate commerce committee met this week, an unusually large number of senators showed up. Those on the inside knew the reason. Those not on the inside soon discovered the reason.

North Carolina's ponderous Senator Josiah Bailey began talking. Long supported by the Duke power and tobacco interests, Bailey with no apologies brazenly plunged into a eulogy of the Duke Power company and talked of the danger of power competition from the government.

Then he introduced an amendment to the flood control bill, up for final approval by his committee—an amendment which would prevent the government from building transmission power lines and distributing electric power from the big flood control projects authorized in the bill.

This is the big battle long fought in the west, where the government has built Grand Coulee dam, Bonneville dam, plus other power projects; sometimes has also built transmission lines and distributed the power in competition with private companies, as does the Tennessee Valley Authority.

### Vote on Amendment

The flood control bill before Bailey's Commerce committee called for a continuation of this practice. But Bailey's amendment would put a complete stop to it. When the amendment came to a vote, only three senators opposed—Bilbo of Mississippi, where the cheap TVA power has been a boon to the state; Pepper of Florida, a strong advocate of public power; and one Republican, Robertson of Wyoming.

Voting for the amendment and the private power industry were three Republicans and a longer list of Democrats—Burton of Ohio, Wiley of Wisconsin, Brewster of Maine, all Republicans; and Bennett Clark of Missouri, Bailey of North Carolina, Radcliffe of Maryland (who usually supports FDR), Mrs. Caraway of Arkansas (also usually behind the president), Arthur Walsh of New Jersey, Maloney of Connecticut, all Democrats. Three of the senators, Caraway, Clark and Walsh, are lame ducks who will leave congress in a few

weeks. But they were careful to be on deck for this vote. Meanwhile, White House advisers have indicated the president will veto the entire flood control bill if it passes with the Bailey amendment.

Note — During the campaign, Governor Dewey went considerably further toward government distribution of power than the Bailey amendment. Although originally favoring sale of power at a dam without building transmission lines Dewey partially reversed himself in his Seattle speech, said he favored sale through either channel.

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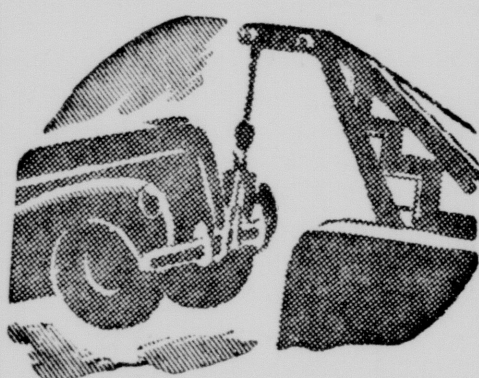
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Rev. Fordyce E. Eastburn, Rector.

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Rev. Samuel W. Jensen, Pastor.

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## Telephone Strike Is Spreading

Operators In Washington Join The Strike In A Sympathy Move

By NORMAN WALKER  
WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—A national communications crisis developed tonight as Washington telephone operators walked out in sympathy with Ohio's "hello girls" and Detroit workers prepared to follow suit.

Despite a War Labor Board warning that interference with vital communications "at this critical period of the war can not be tolerated," operators in the capital voted to strike and throw picket lines around exchanges. The walkout was already under way curtailing services.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—Telephone workers began striking tonight in this capital, nerve center of the United Nations war effort, and a nation-wide walkout threatened.

A spokesman for the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company serving the Washington area said:

"A number of operators are already out, how many we don't know yet. But enough supposed to be on duty are not there to affect things some and cause a partial slow-down of services. Maybe they've left to go to the union meeting, tonight, I don't know."

The walkout here was in sympathy with one that has been in progress in Ohio. Officials of the Ohio federation of telephone workers were asking 41 affiliated unions throughout the country for "active support."

### Not Tolerate Interference

A meeting of the Washington workers was scheduled for later tonight to determine future plans officially. In an attempt to stave off the strike here, the War Labor Board sent a message to the Washington Telephone Traffic Union saying that "any interference with telephone service in the nation's capital at this critical period of the war cannot be tolerated."

The trouble started in Dayton when workers walked out in protest against a company allowance of \$18.25 weekly in living cost bonuses to temporary operators brought in to augment the regular Dayton staff.

The War Labor Board prepared to dispatch the case to the White House, which might be a preliminary to government seizure of the Ohio telephone facilities.

Miss Jeannette Reedy, a vice president of the Ohio group, told reporters that she was confident the strikers would return to work if the government took possession of the Ohio Bell company's plants.

President J. A. Beirne of the National Federation of Telephone workers, in a statement issued through the union's headquarters in Baltimore tonight, said the Ohio strike was "really a grievance to all telephone workers in the Bell system" and "national in scope." He said the federation "fully sympathizes" with the members in Ohio, although it could not order anyone to strike or refrain from doing so.

### Case To White House

Meantime the War Labor Board was preparing to send the Ohio case along to the White House in an effort to settle the trouble at its root. The Ohio union leaders had flatly spurned a WLB order to halt the strike.

Presentation of the case to the White House might be a prelude to government seizure of the Ohio companies, after which it would be illegal for anyone to foster a strike. However, there was a chance the President might resort to another appeal to the workers first.

## Roy Snyder to Head Board

Roy Snyder, circuit court reporter, was today appointed chairman of the Pettis County Rationing board, succeeding E. F. Hausam, Jr., resigned, according to announcement made this afternoon by J. G. Callaway, of Kansas City, OPA district supervisor.

W. M. Ilgenfritz, who has been a member of the Price Panel has been appointed by Mr. Callaway as chairman of that board succeeding Mr. Snyder, who held that office.

The appointment of Miss Thelma Young as chief clerk of the board was also confirmed today by Mr. Callaway.

## New Navy Zero Fighter Plane Over Philippines

By the Associated Press  
The Japanese Domei news agency said today in a wireless dispatch to occupied Asia that a new navy Zero fighter plane, called the "Raider" (Lightning) has been in action over the Philippines. Domei claimed the new Zero has "superior power and performance," and that it is an "efficient and remarkable plane." The federal communications commission recorded the dispatch.

## Car Wrecked, Wedding Plan Is Changed

Officer's Fiancee Believes Youth Who Has Car Is Mechanic

Wrecking late Tuesday night of a 1941 Chevrolet club coupe, owned by Mrs. Betty June Werner, Sikeston, by a youth who represented himself as a mechanic, caused postponement of wedding plans for Mrs. Werner and Lieut. Willard Conn, who were to have been married here Wednesday. The couple now plan on leaving today for Sikeston where they expect to be married, and will return to Sedalia to remain until Lieut. Conn receives orders for transfer.

Mrs. Werner Wednesday said she picked up a soldier and a civilian the other afternoon while enroute to the SAAF to visit her fiancé who was a patient in the base hospital. The youth, in civilian clothes, spoke of the running condition of her car and told her he was in a garage in Sedalia and would like to have the job of repairing the car.

Mrs. Werner informed the boy, later identified as Ray Neitzert, 17, 810 East Eighteenth street, that she wanted to talk with Lt. Conn first. After making a list of things she wanted done to the car, she turned it over to him Tuesday.

### Thought Car Was In Garage

She said she was under the impression he was going to take it to the Chevrolet garage where he would do the work, and then store the car there until she and the lieutenant returned to Sedalia. The first she knew that something had happened to her automobile was late Tuesday night when State Trooper Lloyd Amos, and Elmer Arnold, garage man, called at her room and informed her that it had been wrecked.

Neitzert, according to one of the parties in the car, was driving at a good rate of speed west on Thirty-second street, and tried to make the turn south on the Grand avenue road. The car skidded, rolled over once and came to a stop on its side.

### Occupants of Car

In the car at the time of the accident were several friends, who said they did not know the car was being used without the owner's knowledge. They were: Dean Richardson, 15, 1120 East Fifteenth street; Billy Eugene Cramer, 18, 401 East Howard; Pvt. Ray Hatfield, 408 East Harvey; Velma Templeton, 16, who resides west of Sedalia; Ruth Hagerman, 15, 201 East Booneville; June Jerrell and Grace Jerrell, sisters, 805 East Eleventh street.

Mrs. Werner is stopping at the S. Francis hotel, and is accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Ida Marie Perrin, Hondo, Tex., and a friend, Mrs. W. G. Harvey, Kalamazoo, Mich., who came here to attend the wedding.

The car was badly wrecked and was taken to the Brown Automotive Clinic by Elmer Arnold.

## General Lear Congratulates

Wednesday evening a congratulatory telegram was received at 6 o'clock by Charles L. Hanley, Pettis County War Finance committee chairman, expressing great satisfaction in Pettis county exceeding its early time. It was from Lt. General Ben Lear and was filed from Washington, D. C.

It reads:

Washington, D. C.,  
22 November 1944  
5:45 P. M.

C. L. Hanley, Pettis County War Finance Chairman:  
Congratulations to you and the People of Pettis county for exceeding your quota at such an early date. This is the support that the American fighting men appreciate. Keep it up.

Signed,  
Lt. General Ben Lear  
Commanding General,  
Army Ground Forces.

### Thanksgiving Services

Thanksgiving services will be conducted at St. Paul's Lutheran church, Broadway and Massachusetts, by the pastor, the Rev. H. H. Heidebreder.

## Are Armed To Raid From Air On U-Boats

Cannon Placed On Twin-Engine Mosquitos

By HOWARD COWAN

LONDON, Nov. 22.—(P)—Britain's speedy, twin-engine plywood Mosquitos have been secretly armed with six-pound cannon for attacks on German U-boats and enemy shipping, the air ministry disclosed tonight.

The formidable weapon, adapted similarly to 75-millimeter guns used on American B-25 Mitchells in the Mediterranean and the Pacific, is slung beneath the Mosquito fuselage.

RAF coastal command said startling results had been achieved since the cannon was first used in November, 1943.

"Following the first two attacks with this weapon the German admiralty were forced to provide an escort of surface ships and fighters to protect their U-boats leaving and on going into harbor," the command announced.

Last March a British pilot from a range of one mile—opened fire on a Junkers—ss off the Spanish coast. The six-pound shell blew off the port engine and the plane crashed in the sea.

Direct hits have been scored on two tankers, a destroyer, 16 trawlers, five minesweepers and an undisclosed number of German submarines, it was announced.

One of Britain's most versatile aircraft, the Mosquito has been used to carry two-ton blockbusters to Berlin, as an escort for British heavy bombers at night and as a long range weather reconnaissance craft for the American air force.

## Will Expand Rural Lines

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Nov. 22.—(P)—The development of farm telephone lines will be one of industry's greatest post-war opportunities, Shields R. Smith of St. Louis, general manager of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company for eastern Missouri and Arkansas, said here yesterday in addressing the annual Missouri Telephone Association convention.

Another convention speaker, J. C. Crowley, secretary of the Minnesota Telephone Association, predicted that rural telephone companies will be faced with government control unless they provide more experienced management and better service in the post-war period.

Shields R. Smith, mentioned in the above article, is a former Sedalian, and when here was district manager for the Bell Telephone company.

### Unclaimed Cigarettes To Go To Soldiers

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—(P)—Postmaster Bernard F. Dickmann says there will be no exorbitant bidding after all for more than 25 unclaimed cartons of hard-to-get cigarettes previously advertised for sale at the postoffice auction next Tuesday.

Dickmann advised prospective buyers today to put their money into war bonds instead. He's giving the cigarettes to the Red Cross for distribution to soldiers.

### Six Die In Crash Of A Navy Liberator Bomber

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Nov. 22.—(P)—Six persons were killed today in the crash of a navy liberator bomber in a residential area near the huge frontier federal housing project.

### A Sea Of Pies For Men At Sea

Coast Guardsman Arnold M. Manthei, of Princeton, Wis., surrounded by a "sea" of his wares somewhere aboard the combat cutter in the Atlantic, pauses in the midst of baking Thanksgiving pies to sample one of his culinary masterpieces. The occasion is somewhat of a celebration too—the die Manthei is tasting is the 7500th he has baked since he entered the Coast Guard.

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## CIO Continue Political Action

By HAROLD WARD  
CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—(P)—An exuberant CIO convention voted today, after a noisy celebration of Nov. 7 election success, to continue its political action committee indefinitely and rededicate it to winning additional congressional seats in 1946.

Wild ovation greeted Sidney Hillman, chairman of the CIO's political action committee, and Philip Murray, CIO president, when they tried to talk.

Virtually a half-day was devoted to PAC—its part in the recent campaign and its avowed role in the future—in speeches by Hillman, Murray, and a dozen leaders of the unions in the congress of industrial organizations.

Murray urged "now that it's over and we start out anew, let's forget the bitterness and hatreds thrust upon the people by the enemies of our movement and their castigation of the leaders of CIO and PAC."

The CIO leader cautioned against interpreting the convention's action in continuing PAC as "a narrow movement."

## Votes For Crop Insurance

House Approves Bill For Covering Many Losses

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—Voting overwhelmingly to revive a farm program it once killed, the house today passed a federal crop insurance measure called for by both major party platforms this year.

The vote was 254 to 16, sending to the senate the bill which provides for immediate insurance on wheat, cotton and flax crops and eventual protection for almost everything else a farmer plants.

Nobody knows how much the program will cost but, by a last-minute amendment, the cost of administration cannot exceed 25 percent of the amount collected in premiums.

The house killed a limited crop insurance program on June 23, 1943, after five years experimentation because opponents argued it was too expensive. The vote then was 208 to 160 against it.

However, sentiment changed later, and today many members who voted to kill the program a year ago changed sides.

### Attempts To Kill It

In two days of house consideration the bill never was in serious jeopardy although several attempts were made to kill it. Most opposition came from two sources: Those who view federal insurance as an invasion of state's rights and those who contend the program doesn't justify its cost.

But the house was determined to set it up. With amendment after amendment members broadened the plan until, in its final form, the measure will protect farmers against the loss of almost any kind of crop under almost any circumstances.

The insurance will be paid on crop losses due to drought, flood, hail, wind, frost, winter-kill, lightning, hurricane, tornado, insect infestation, plant disease, fire, snow and wildlife.

The insurance plan on wheat, cotton and flax could be set up immediately in any county where 50 farmers make written application. It will be established on a limited, experimental basis on other crops, later being expanded to full coverage.

Ten Republicans and six Democrats voted against the bill. They included: Buffett (R-Neb.) Disney (D-Okla.), Miller (R-Mo.).

## Reports To Police Killing Negro

ARLINGTON, Va., Nov. 22.—(P)—Mahlon A. Glascock, commercial manager of radio station WRC, Washington, reported to police today that he shot and killed a Negro who he said had threatened his wife.

Coroner W. C. Welburn signed a certificate of justifiable homicide in the death of Charles M. Diggs, the Negro.

Welburn reported that Glascock asked police protection for his home last Friday after Mrs. Glascock received a threatening telephone call. There were several similar calls later, he said. He added that a neighbor told him of the Negro's presence and that he had to force his way through the back door which he had instructed his wife to keep locked.

Forcing his way in, Glascock said he found the Negro advancing toward him with his hand in his pocket. He reported that he obtained his .22 automatic pistol and shot Diggs twice.

## Carrier Planes Destroy Ships

Ones Of Third Fleet Sink Or Damage Freighters

By MURLIN SPENCER

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, Thursday, Nov. 23.—(P)—American fighter planes, hammering at shipping to prevent Japanese reinforcement from reaching Leyte Island, destroyed or damaged four troop-laden freighters off Ormoc, headquarters announced today.

Four luggers and 14 barges also were sunk or heavily damaged during the aerial assaults Tuesday, a communique today reported. The air forays are designed to forestall Japanese attempts to reinforce their bitterly resisting forces, even on a small scale.

### By LEIF ERICKSON

U. S. PACIFIC FLEET HEADQUARTERS, Pearl Harbor, Nov. 22.—(P)—Carrier planes of the Third fleet sank, burned or damaged 17 Japanese freighters, oilers and luggers and strafed and crippled a cruiser in sweeps over Luzon Island in the Philippines Nov. 18, Adm. Chester W. Nimitz announced today.

Destruction of at least 126 enemy planes and three Japanese ships in the attacks last Saturday had been previously reported. The carrier aircraft were from the flatboats of Vice Adm. John S. McCain's fast carrier force.

Today's announcement was a full summary of the damage inflicted in the Saturday blow to the supply hub for the enemy's defense of the Philippines. It told of 10 fires being started among fuel dumps and airfield buildings and installations being destroyed.

The naval aircraft ranged over most of Luzon from Laoag, in the northwest, to Lucena 70 miles southeast of Manila.

Today's report of damage to Nipponese shipping:

One medium freighter and one small coastal freighter set afire at Subic Bay, near Olongapo, former U. S. naval base.

Two medium cargo ships burning and one small coastal freighter sunk near San Fernando port in Lingayen Gulf.

Vessels In Flames

One freighter burned and another burning in Manila Bay. One oiler was in flames and one cargo ship and two other oilers hit in Manila Bay.

Five luggers burning off Batangas, south of Manila, and another sunk at Laoag, about 200 miles northwest of the capital.

## Reds Take Six Nazi Villages In Hungary

Six Hundred Nazis Killed at Verpelet

By W. W. HERCHER

LONDON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The Russians announced tonight capture of six Hungarian communities 20, 40 and 60 miles northeast of Budapest, and said there were only local engagements on other sectors of the eastern front.

The Germans confirming furious action in one of the areas listed by the Russians, that of Gyongyos, 40 miles from Budapest, said also that there were violent Soviet assaults on Miskolc, 45 miles farther northeast, and that Russian attacks had forced them to abandon Tokaj (Tokay), famous wine center 30 miles east of Miskolc.

Still another threat to the Germans in that general sector was seen in a Berlin announcement that the Russians had uncorked a fresh push in Czechoslovakia southwest of Ungvar, 75 miles northeast of Miskolc. The Nazis said seven to eight Soviet divisions had ripped several holes in German defenses between the Ung and Latorica rivers.

A Moscow communique said German forces pocketed in southwest Latvia had made 40 vain counterattacks in a single day between Jelgava, losing 13 tanks, but the announcement still did not confirm Berlin assertions that the Russians had begun a major offensive Sunday.

### Cleared Saare Island

The Russians, however, did announce the virtual clearance of the Baltic Island of Saare (Osel) guarding the entrance to the Gulf of Riga.

In addition to Verpelet the Red army seized four strongly defended villages in Hungary. Russian troops have been reported in the outskirts of both Eger and Miskolc. Rains have hindered the Russian advance, Moscow said.

Six hundred Germans and Hungarians were reported killed at Verpelet. From November 14 through November 20 the Russians captured 4,220 German and Hungarian soldiers, bringing the total since November 8 to 11,920, the Russians announced.

## USO Program At Air Base

The USO presented the bi-monthly program at the Red Cross Recreation Center at the base Tuesday night.

The early part of the evening was spent in playing various games and the latter part of the evening was given over to the following program:

Miss Frances Brunkhorst, Miss Ida May Redkey and Mrs. A. R. Beach sang: "Always." Miss Brunkhorst then sang: "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes." "I'll See You Again" and "Mine Alone," with Mrs. Beach as accompanist. Miss Clarice Blankinship presented a dance group in costume. Miss Ida May Redkey played a trumpet medley, "Love Ship," "Somewhere a Voice is Calling" and "Let the Rest of the World Go By."

The entire group including the audience joined in singing: "Good Night Wherever You Are."

The program was relayed by way of loud speakers to all wards in the hospital.

Homemade cake, furnished by the girls and ice cream furnished by the Red Cross was served. Food was served by the girls and Mrs. Belle Hurwitz in the isolation wards.

The following were in the group: Misses Betty Jo Thorp, Maxine Leslie, Ida May Redkey, Mildred Scott, Erna Ann McClure, Mary Kathryn Becker, Betty Meyer, Mary Frances Brunkhorst, Gertrude Cartwright, Dorothy Maxwell, Mrs. Clarice Blankinship, Mrs. Harry Burford and Mrs. A. R. Beach.

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## Allies Sweeping On Taking Saverne In Nearing Strasbourg

### Bothwell Hospital Notes

Ruth Ann Wareham, 668 East Sixteenth street, Judith Barnett, Green Ridge, and James Barnett, Green Ridge, admitted for tonsillectomy.

Dorothy Jeffries, 616 South Barnett avenue, Betty Metcalf, Cole Camp, Mrs. W. E. Smith, Cole Camp, Mrs. Julian Adams, 1520 South Osage avenue, Mrs. Carl Rames, Nelson, Mrs. Ralph Pratt, Dresden, Miss Lorine Smiley, 2109 South Washington, Claude Murphy, 1401 East Ninth, Mrs. Ralph Strader, 517 South Hancock, dismissed.

## Japs Pay For The Bagging Of Two B-29's

Superfortresses Lost In Large Scale Air Battle

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(P)—Gambling heavily in trying to protect a vital aircraft works, Japanese airmen got close enough to bag their first two Superfortresses in yesterday's large scale B-29 mission to Japan.

Enemy fighter came up in numbers strong enough this time to put up what early reports indicate was the largest air battle the Superfortresses have had. A 20th bomber command said a third American aircraft was missing and presumed lost.

The Japs paid with at least 20 of their number, 19 probably destroyed and 22 others damaged in their vain attempt to beat off the attack headed for strategic Omura on industrially important Kyushu, southernmost Japanese Island.

It was the third B-29 strike within a month at the Japanese homeland, all of them at the home of huge modern aircraft assembly and service installations.

The mission, operating from China bases, was split three ways by adverse weather. Some struck at ports of Nanking, and others at military facilities at Shanghai. None of the diverted planes was lost to the enemy, the communique said.

A check of previous communique showed 13 Superfortresses lost or unaccounted for since June 15, but today's communique said losses on the latest raid were the first to enemy fighter interception.

## Looking for Car he Loaned

Sedalia Police have requested the state highway patrol to be on the lookout for a 1941 Chevrolet convertible coupe, which is believed to be driven by Alvin Lewis Carter, 2 c P.O., who, it was said, borrowed it from Lieutenant Willis G. Adams, SAAF on November 19.

According to the police, Carter had borrowed the car from Lieut. Adams, to drive around Sedalia. It was said Carter, whose home is in Amarillo, Tex., was a friend of Mrs. Adams and her family, and because of this friendship he loaned the car to him.

The police said the lieutenant was under the impression that it was to be used only to drive about Sedalia.

It was said Adams, who has been in the naval service for some time was seriously wounded during a campaign. He was purportedly wounded in the head when struck between the eyes by a piece of shrapnel.

The car is blue in color and has an Alabama license 65C308.

## Mrs. J. C. Connor Club Speaker

"The Trend of Public Welfare," was the subject of an informative talk by Mrs. J. C. Connor, staff member in the Pettis county welfare office, speaking before the Sedalia Kiwanis club meeting in Bothwell hotel Thursday noon. She reviewed the local welfare situation in the present day as compared with the past and referred to the supplemental and helpful work of civic organizations assisting in minimizing the juvenile delinquency problem.

The speaker was introduced by W. M. Johns, acting program chairman in the absence of the Rev. A. J. Brunswick.

Vice President Clyde Heynen presided in the absence of President Harry Brunkhorst and announced a meeting of the board of directors and committee chairmen at Keuck's Friday noon.

Guests present were: Tom Kennan of St. Louis with J. J. Donlon, and L. W. Deason of Sedalia with C. R. Kilbury.

## Resistance In Mulhouse And Metz Crushed By Advancing Forces

LONDON, Thursday, Nov. 23.—(P)—The Paris radio said early today that the British second army had occupied Julich.

### Open Heavy Barrage

LONDON, Nov. 22.—(P)—The Germans radio said tonight that 1,000 Allied guns had opened a barrage on the main German defense lines on the Aachen front and that "fighter-bombers and tanks in numbers begging description attack us ceaselessly."

This report by frontline Correspondent Toni Schelkopf came at the close of a day in which the Germans had reported Allied gains along most of the western front, except in Alsace.

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR

PARIS, Nov. 22.—(P)—Saverne, 19 miles northwest of Strasbourg, was engulfed tonight by the Allied sweep through Alsace and Lorraine which earlier today crushed Nazi resistance in the fortress cities of Metz and Mulhouse.

On the bitterly-contested northern front, where the German bastion of Eschweiler was overrun today by the U. S. First army, the desperate Germans were firing volleys of V-1 and V-2 rocket bombs into areas in the rear of the advancing American Ninth army.

A frontline dispatch said that the appearance of the rocket bombs was taken as an indication that the Germans were hurling everything they have in their effort to protect the industrial Ruhr from the American First and Ninth armies.

### Ninth In Heavy Fighting

Heavy fighting raged along the entire front of the Ninth today, particularly on the approaches to Julich, but local gains were made by Lt. Gen. William H. Simpson's forces.

It was the French Second armored division which pushed through the Saverne Gap in two streams and then drove into the town itself from the north and south. This French armored force is attached to the U. S. Seventh army.

As the last German pocket in Metz surrendered, other doughboys of Lt. Gen. George S. Patton's Third army who swept past the doomed fortress city days ago smashed to the German Saar frontier at two new points west of Saarbrücken in lightning 10-mile thrusts.

More than 100 miles to the south, French armored forces plunging down the Rhine valley behind the Nazis' crumbling Vosges mountain positions seized Mulhouse, an important city of nearly 100,000 population.

French Move Onward

(Gen. Charles De Gaulle, in a broadcast recorded by the federal communications commission, reported French troops had sped 22 miles beyond Mulhouse to the gates of Colmar, road junction 40 miles south of Strasbourg.)

As the French and Americans swept down the Rhine valley and poured like acid through the passes of the Vosges, they hourly increased the threat of entrapment to an estimated 70,000 German troops remaining on the west bank of the Rhine above Strasbourg.

So swift was the French armored envelopment of Mulhouse that members of the German 19th army general staff were captured, along with more than 1,000 other prisoners.

One of the biggest stumbling



# Ambition Essential To Growth

George C. Smith  
Head Of St. Louis  
C. Of C. Addresses  
Sedalia Chamber

"The growth of a community depends on the ambition of its leaders," said George C. Smith, president of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce, addressing members of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce at a dinner-meeting at the Bothwell hotel Tuesday night. His subject was industrial development, and he spoke informatively on Sedalia, Pettis county, and its trade area including the eight surrounding counties, and the possibilities for growth and development.

Referring to Sedalia, Pettis county, and the adjoining counties, he said they had not grown in population in the last twenty years, and even though efforts had been made to bring new industries into the territory, particularly war plants, these efforts had not met with success.

There are many forces that stimulate or inhibit growth of a community, he said, declaring that basic research work is most essential, to ascertain the natural products of the community, to determine what type of development is best to interest new people and build large payrolls.

## Stress On Agriculture

In this particular area he stressed agriculture, the fine farming country, transportation facilities, wheat, corn, milk, sand, clay and other products that are used so extensively in the commodities being developed today.

In his opinion a large amount of money is not so necessary to bring new industries into a community, as basic research work, clear thinking and ambition to succeed.

Mr. Smith, who was for years assistant to the president of the M. K. T. railroad, in charge of industrial development along the Katy Lines, frequently came to Sedalia, and is familiar with this area, its resources and possibilities.

## Freely Answers Questions

At the close of his talk there were a number of questions, all of which Mr. Smith answered, showing his knowledge of his subject and of this community particularly.

I. H. Reed, president of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, who had introduced the speaker, mentioned at the close of his talk the need for an industrial development fund in Sedalia. He said that he will appoint the industrial committee and the finance committee to look into the matter, and work out a plan.

## Mrs. Green Among Guests

Among the guests at the dinner were Mrs. Ellsworth Green, whose husband, Capt. Green, is secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, on leave of absence and in service in India, and Mrs. Basil Leach of Moberly. Mrs. Green is living temporarily in Mexico.

Mr. Reed introduced them, also guests who were seated at the head table as follows: Mayor A. H. Wilks, Judge of the County Court, J. V. Kesterson, Miss Bertha Rose, president of the Sedalia Business and Professional Women's club; Father A. J. Brunswick, who asked the invocation; Lawrence Barnett, president of the Rotary club; Clyde Heyson, vice-president of the Kiwanis club, taking the place of Harry Brunkhorst, president, who was out of the city; Noel Tweet, president of the Lions club; F. G. Buchanan, representative of the M. K. T. C. R. Kilbury, superintendent of the Missouri Pacific shops; T. W. Cloney, chairman of the industrial committee of the C. of C.; Robert Overstreet, and Ben Robinson, vice-presidents of the C. of C.; C. L. Tanley, treasurer; Charles M. Van-Dyne, immediate vice-president; Miss Marie Weller, secretary.

Mrs. W. L. Monegan and Abe Rosenthal gave a short musical program.

## Col. Salisbury Leaves For Washington

Col. Arthur G. Salisbury, who for the past several days has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Fay Salisbury and his sister, Miss Maxine Salisbury, left Tuesday afternoon for Washington, D. C. making the trip by plane. He expects to spend several weeks in Washington.

Col. Salisbury, decorated many times for bravery and leadership in combat service in the European area, spent more than two years in that theatre.

## In the Service

Cpl. Fred M. Jones left Monday evening to join his squadron at Great Bend, Kas., after a visit with his aunts, Mrs. W. R. Large, 1524 South Grand avenue and Mrs. W. W. Blain and Senator Blain, 511 Dal-Whi-Mo Court, for the past three days.

Jones is a member of the 19th Bomber Group as an electrical specialist on a Superfortress B-29 and expects to go into active combat duty in the Southwest Pacific in the near future.

His mother and two sisters live in Houston, Texas.

## Careful Rinsing For Clean Clothes

Many a good wash lady slights the job of rinsing and then wonders why the clothes don't look clean. Soap left in fabrics may make it dingy, yellow or even brownish in streaks and may eventually weaken the fibers.

Ideal for rinsing is an abundant supply of hot soft water, say household management specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Tests show that rinse water about as hot as the wash water—115 to 120 F.—removes soap and loosened dirt most easily. Hot water has the advantage of softening fabric, opening the weave, and dissolving soap quickly. In contrast, when clothes go from hot wash water to a cold rinse, the fabric contracts and may actually hold in some soap and dirt. Soft water dissolves soap without leaving scum or mineral sediment.

But when hot water supplies are short or water is hard, how to get a thorough rinse? Try these methods: Just before lifting clothes from wash water, squeeze each piece up and down quickly. Then wring very dry. The more suds that can be pressed out, the less left to rinse out. If there is not enough hot water for several rinses, at least have the first rinse hot and the second and third rinse as warm as convenient. Even lukewarm water is better for rinsing than cold water.

If the water is hard, a rinse in clean, hot suds helps carry off dirty suds and hard water deposits before the clothes go into clear water. After the soapy rinse, give clothes two or three rinses in clear water until the water shows no trace of soapiness.

Clothes must move freely under water to get soap out, so never crowd the rinse tub.

Lift each piece of clothing up and out of the water instead of draining water off through the clothes. Otherwise dirt in the soil-ed water will strain out and be left on the fabric.

## Economy Keeping Rugs In Condition

To keep rugs lying down and on the job, home economists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture have just published a new bulletin—"Carpet and Rug Repairs." New floor coverings are likely to remain on the scarce list for some time yet, so it pays to keep a good rug repaired, or to rejuvenate an old one. Also, because rugs and carpets take a big slice of the family budget when they must be replaced, keeping them in condition is good economy.

Many repair jobs can be done at home. The new bulletin lists equipment and materials and gives picture-and-text instructions on mending both pile rugs and hooked and braided rugs. A free copy of the bulletin, "Carpet and Rug Repair," F. B. 1960, may be had by writing the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, 25, D. C.

## Georgetown Club Meets

Georgetown Extension club met last at the home of Mrs. W. Alexander, who was assisted by Mrs. Burke and Mrs. Dittmer. Two visitors were present in addition to 23 members.

Mrs. J. L. Imhauser presided over the business meeting. Mrs. Dunham led in singing of the club song, "God Bless America," and Mrs. Fred Welling of Oak Grove Extension club gave an interesting demonstration on valuable hints in sewing. After the reading of the news letter, the meeting was closed with singing of "Blest Be the Tie That Binds."

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. W. T. Wright, 518 North Grand avenue, December 20, with Mrs. Malone and Mrs. Ed Miller assisting hostesses. Each member is to bring a gift for her Sunshine pal.

## Pvt. Glen C. Williams Killed in Action

Pvt. Glen C. Williams was killed in action in Germany, Sept. 21. Pvt. Williams was formerly employed by the International Shoe Co. at Windsor. His wife, the former Miss Bernice Taggart, and his son are now living at 1607 Benton Blvd., Kansas City.

Others surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Williams, now living in Kansas City; four sisters, Wilma of Kansas City; Mrs. Charles Egbert of Windsor; Mrs. Elbert Wallace of Clinton; Mrs. Efton Bradley of Calhoun; and a brother, Pvt. Vernon Williams, serving in the medical corps in New Caledonia.

Pvt. Glen Williams entered the service in February 1944 and was sent overseas in July.

Will of Mrs. Black Filed  
The will of Mrs. Mary E. Black was filed for probate in the Probate court Tuesday by John C. Cordes, who was appointed executor.

All of the estate was left to her son, Thomas P. Black, who lives at Quincy, Ill. Mrs. Black died November 8, 1944.

Names Administratrix  
Letters of administration were issued Monday to Eva Lane on the estate of her father, G. N. Durham, by probate Judge, J. E. Smith. Mr. Durham died October 9, 1944.

## 'Proper Winter Feeding For Cows Needed'

Good Ration  
With Cured Green  
Forage Excellent

As we enter another period of winter feeding, it may be well to keep in mind the fact that the ration provided the cows this winter may, to some degree, effect the health of our calf crop next spring. A number of recent experiments have indicated that a deficiency of vitamin A and niacin are responsible for some of the difficulty in raising young calves.

Mature cows are able to convert the green material of forage, the carotene, into vitamin A which is required in the body. For some reason, only a limited amount of vitamin A is passed on to the calf and sometimes they are born with only a small reserve supply. If the cows are on a good ration with properly cured green roughage, the calf will get a big increase in its vitamin A through the colostrum, however, if only bleached hay has been fed to the cows for some time and no pasture is available the result may be increased calf losses from scours and pneumonia. Calves apparently are not able to convert carotene into vitamin A very efficiently and seem to require the vitamin itself. Later as their digestive system approaches that of a mature cow, they are able to provide for their needs from leafy green hay, yellow corn and other feeds.

## Must Work With China

Now that we have for the first time been attacked by a nation in the Orient, to whom in the Orient area must we look, The Philippines? Because they are white. These are but islands, Mr. Havighurst said, and not densely populated. It would be China which is part of the continent. We must work with China to keep order in the Orient.

## Vitamin In Forage

There are also indications that the calf is sometimes born with a low supply of the vitamin called "niacin," formerly called "Nicotinic acid." In mature animals again this vitamin is apparently either provided by the forage or is manufactured in the rumen of the animal. It is thought that a deficiency of niacin may be one cause of the roughened hair condition and diarrhea often found in very young calves.

More experimental work needs to be done on the effect of these vitamins and their importance to the young calf's nutrition. However, work at Wisconsin and other places has indicated that the mortality of young calves can be lowered in some cases by the feeding of these vitamins in the first few weeks of their lives.

There are probably few instances where this trouble will be experienced if the cow has a good supply of good feed forage. A small amount of winter pasture is especially effective. Vitamin A requirements of young stock seem to be higher in the cold months, and, as this is the time green forage is most likely to be lacking, it is in the winter and early spring that we are most likely to have trouble from this source. The important thing for dairymen to keep in mind is that in case they experience difficulty in producing thrifty calves, it might be due to vitamin deficiency. Where a poor roughage ration, that is, one that is bleached out through weathering or heating, must be fed, feeding young calves these vitamins may prove beneficial.

By no means are all cases of calf scours due to lack of vitamins. Lack of sanitation, over feeding and poor housing are some other important and perhaps more frequent causes of calf losses.

## Latham Wins the Otterville Tourney

The Nineteenth Annual Basketball tournament sponsored by the Otterville high school last week end and was won by the Latham high school, taking the boys' title while the girls' title went to the Otterville girls.

In the boys' basketball Otterville placed second. Buncheon town, Jamestown fourth, with the sportsmanship honors going to the Syracuse high school.

Prairie Home was second in the girls' tournament with Buncheon third and the Boonville Catholic high school was winner of the Sportsmanship trophy.

The tournament was well attended with large crowds at all four night of playing.

## Births...

Daughter, born to Mr. and Mrs. Wright Rank, at St. John's hospital in Springfield, Mo., on November 17. The baby weighed seven pounds, fourteen ounces and has been named Connie Kay. Mr. Rank is a brother of Mrs. W. M. Ilgenfritz, 615 West Broadway.

Son, born to Mr. and Mrs. John F. Judd, route 3, Sedalia at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Capt. and Mrs. Bryce B. Smith, 1700 South Missouri avenue, at the Bothwell hospital at 2:05 o'clock Tuesday morning.

Son, born to Pfc. and Mrs. Walter H. Day of Warsaw at 12:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Bothwell hospital.

Daughter, born to Pfc. and Mrs. Odford C. Bolin, 1020 South Monticau avenue, at the Bothwell hospital at 12:45 o'clock Tuesday afternoon.

## Rev. J. C. Havighurst Tells Sorosis Members of Chinese

A discussion of "A Present Day Chinese Problem" was given at Sorosis Monday afternoon by Rev. J. C. Havighurst of Marshall, superintendent of the Sedalia-Marshall district of the Methodist churches, who for eleven years was a missionary to China. Mr. Havighurst was introduced by Mrs. H. E. Lindstrom, chairman of the department of History and Literature.

In the eleven years spent in China, during which time he was president of a boys school in which there were five hundred students, Mr. Havighurst learned a great deal about the people of China and learned to understand their characteristics, their way of thinking and their problems.

First of all Mr. Havighurst explained, it would be to the advantage of the United States to have a strong, democratic, independent and industrial China, because China is a peace loving people. Here are one-fifth of the population of the world and like the United States, they desire no more territory.

## Now Work With China

Must that we have for the first time been attacked by a nation in the Orient, to whom in the Orient area must we look, The Philippines? Because they are white. These are but islands, Mr. Havighurst said, and not densely populated. It would be China which is part of the continent. We must work with China to keep order in the Orient.

We need China for the military war with Japan, we need her men and her bases. For seven years China has been fighting our war and yet only three per cent of the lend lease has gone to China, Mr. Havighurst said. We need China at the peace table, it should be accorded an important place because it is on China that America can depend to stand by us and to back us up. China wants peace. She wants freedom and time to educate her people and develop her country. After the war is won and peace is written we need China in the building of a new order.

## Chinese Work Slowly

Idealistic conceptions of the Chinese by those Americans going in there will be shattered. A good look in the life of the Chinese takes time. The American wants to get things done. They want to work fast, efficiently. The Chinese must work things out their own way—slowly.

Having a great admiration for the American people they are a bit mystified as to why the United States continued to send materials to Japan which were used to bomb China. They can't understand the governments of other nations receiving lend-lease aid from the United States, when they receive only three per cent and only a third of that goes directly to their government, the speaker said. The Chinese are great believers in character and want people to be what they profess to be. They hate hypocrites. There is danger, said Mr. Havighurst, of losing China. There may be created a lack of confidence and it would pay to keep China's friendship. They are wondering if it is an interior people?

## Good Land

Many pounds of land are wasted each year because it becomes rancid. If land is very rancid there is little that can be done to improve it. So the best way to prevent loss is make and store land so that rancidity will not develop.

Moisture in land, due to incomplete rendering, sometimes causes water souring to develop during storage. Therefore, land should be completely rendered so that all moisture is removed.

Air and light may cause chemical changes in stored lard resulting in rancidity. The effect of air and light may be minimized by: First, filling the containers as nearly to the top as possible; second, sealing with a tight cover; third, storing in a dark, cool place. It is better to store the lard in several smaller containers rather than in one large one so that a minimum of air will be introduced.

## Plays Great Part

Chiang Kai-Shek has played a great part in this war in China, said Mr. Havighurst. Although he may not be perfect he is the one man who can hold China together. Criticism of him has not come from those who are closest to him. The missionaries still in China have a better understanding of the facts.

When asked if he thought there was a possibility of the yellow race combining to turn on the white race, Mr. Havighurst said: "It is possible but not probable. That is why it is so important to keep the friendship of the Chinese. They will never turn against the white man as long as justice and fair play prevail."

There is a national sensitiveness with the Chinese, the speaker said. They want only to regain their national self respect in the family of nations of the world.

Mrs. Austin Hurley, president, presided and announced, in the absence of Mrs. Abe Bertman, chairman of the Civics department, the program for next week.

William F. Knox, director Division of Field Service, State Teachers' college, Warrensburg, will speak on "Colleges Prepare for the Future."

## New Resident

Miss Bea Gentry of Columbia, Mo., has come to Sedalia where she has accepted a position at the Lockett shop. She is at present staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hugelmann, 814 West Fourth street.

## Mrs. Morton Improves

Mrs. James Morton, 318 West Broadway, who has been a patient at Bothwell hospital, has been dismissed and returned to her home. Mrs. Morton, who has had an infection in her left arm, is getting along satisfactorily.

## Marriage Licenses Issued

Marriage licenses have been issued in Kansas City to Joseph B. Cochran and Annabelle Bishop, both of Sedalia.

Only F. Grandfield and Gloria June Miller, both of Sedalia,

## Next Week In The Kitchen

### Get Ready For Meat Canning Season

Home slaughtering of meat will soon occur. For those without a freezer locker, it means meat canning also. Even those with lockers will probably want to can part of the meat to have some on the emergency shelf and to have a variety of meat.

It is time now to check the canning equipment and supplies to be in readiness for canning. The pressure cooker has had hard use this summer in canning the vegetables from the garden. The gauge should be checked for accuracy. The pet cock and safety valve should be shining clean. If the cooker has a rubber or composition gasket, the gasket should be checked to be sure it allows no leakage of steam. If steam leaks, it should be stretched gently and turned. If steam still leaks, it would be wise to replace the gasket with a new one.

When the cooker is checked, store it carefully. The lid should be wrapped in paper. This wrapping protects the lid from becoming scratched and prevents dust from getting into pet cock, safety valve and gauge opening. The drained lid should be placed inverted on the cooker to prevent the gauge from being knocked. The inversion of the lid also allows circulation of air in the cooker which prevents stale odors developing in the cooker.

### Protecting Dried Beans and Peas From Weevils

Entomologists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture say there are two easy methods of killing weevils in beans or black-eyed peas stored in half bushel or less lots for using in meals.

One, kill the weevils by spreading the beans in the oven and heating them to a temperature of 130 degrees to 145 degrees F. for an hour. Two, dip the beans in boiling water, swirl it around so the hot water sterilizes each bean. One minute is your time limit on this! Then spread the beans out in the sun to dry. After drying, pack the beans in glass jars or tins with tight lids and store them in a dry place. Beans or peas treated by these two methods aren't likely to germinate well, so do not plan to use them for seed next year.

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## Attachment Case Settled

An attachment filed by System Mills, Inc., against C. A. Below, operator of a grocery store on Broadway and Hancock was sustained in the circuit court Tuesday morning by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman, and judgment given for the plaintiff in the sum of \$200.

The case was filed in the circuit court some months ago, tried before a jury in the circuit court, and a verdict returned for the defendant.

The plaintiff filed motion for a new trial, which was sustained, and the matter settled today by consent of all parties.

Frank Armstrong and Henry C. Salveter represented the plaintiff, and Fred F. Wesner the defendant.

## Pvt. Harry Spieler Wounded Second Time

Pvt. Harry Spieler, who some time ago received the Purple Heart for wounds received in France, has been wounded a second time and is now in a hospital in England. His latest wounds were received in Holland October 23rd.

His mother, Mrs. Carrie Spieler, resides at 1414 South Prospect avenue.

## Administrative Letters Issued

Letters in the estate of William H. Shaw, who died November 14, were issued Tuesday morning by Judge J. E. Smith in probate court to H. C. Modline.

## Divorce Granted

A divorce has been granted in circuit court to Ada Marie Scott from James Henry Scott, by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman. The court also granted the restoration of the plaintiff's maiden name, Ada Marie Nelson.

The next meeting will be held on December 8.

## Juice Drinking For Nutrition

Vitamin C Is  
Healthful In  
Liquids Taken

Juice drinking has become a breakfast habit in this country. Most Americans find fruit and vegetable juices pleasant appetite awakens. The many canned juices on the market are popular because they are convenient and quick to serve at the morning rush hour.

To get full value for the money spent on juices, however, their vitamin C needs consideration. The most important offering of breakfast juices to good nutrition is vitamin C in which they differ widely. Nutrition studies show that unless the fruit or juice served at breakfast furnishes a generous supply of C, it is difficult to get enough at other meals for best health. So if the breakfast juice contains little or no C, the family is likely to run short on its daily quota.

## Tests For Vitamin C

About 30 different kinds of commercially canned juices were recently tested for vitamin C at the Arizona Experiment Station. Taking top place and rating "excellent" in this vitamin were canned orange and grapefruit juice. Second place with a rating of "good" went to papaya and large vegetable juices—tomato, spinach and sauerkraut. Juices testing "fair" were pineapple, guava, strawberry, fig, mixed vegetable, raspberry and prune.

Unfortunately and contrary to general opinion, many of the most popular fruit juices are not only expensive but not even fair sources of C, the Station reports. The usual serving of apple, cherry, grape, peach, and pear juice (also carrot and celery juice) contains little if any C. These fruits, even when fresh and raw, are low in C. When their juices are sweetened, diluted, and canned as nectars or fruitades, the little C they originally had is diluted.

Delicious and appetizing as such drinks are, they cannot be counted on for the breakfast C supply. If they are served, care should be taken to serve C-rich foods at other meals of the day. For example, at this time of year when many people enjoy cider for breakfast, citrus fruit or tomatoes served at lunch or dinner may make up the C needed.

## Red Cross Corner

In the Red Cross office, we always get a big kick out of the letters from the boys in service. They come into us with gratifying regularity, and here is the latest: "Your service kit bag, handed me on board ship. As one Missourian to another, want to say thanks. It is appreciated a lot. Just the thing needed. As far as I know I am the only Missourian in this company."

Monday, January 22-26, 1945, the Blood Bank will again be held in Sedalia. To our regular blood donors, and to those who will give blood for the first time (an exciting and wonderful experience) we say: "Please keep this date in mind. It's important."

Mrs. John C. McLaughlin has enough yarn for several more watch caps, and as the date for final packing and shipping is getting nearer, she is asking for a few more volunteer knitters to complete this quota.

Mrs. Emmett Hurley, chairman of Home Nursing, reports that Mrs. Hugh Jones has completed her class in this department, and that Mrs. Willard son will start a new class at the armory Monday night.

We should like to acknowledge the kindness of the four Sedalians who provided cars for the use of Red Cross personnel during the recent parade held on Buck Salisbury day. Miss Della Jones, Mrs. E. M. Keithley, Mrs. J. L. Joyce, and Mrs. Herbert Seifert provided the transportation for representatives of all Red Cross services.

George Yeaman, chairman of the Camp and Hospital Council, together with his committee went to the SAAF Friday to make plans for the Christmas parties, which will be given for the men in the Base hospital.

Mrs. William Rissler, Mrs. H. F. Rapp, and Mrs. Eula R. Spencer, went to the Air Base Friday afternoon to discuss the winter program of the Canteen Corps.

In Kansas City Hospital  
Kenneth Howard Reese of Marshall, a former Sedalian, is in an osteopathic hospital, Eleventh and Harrison, Kansas City, receiving treatment. Reese is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Reese, 1107 East Ninth street and a brother of Mrs. Richard Fernier, 1111 East Ninth street. His wife, the former Miss Loueva Pummill of Houstonia is with his parents in Sedalia.

Grange Members Hear of State Convention  
The Maplewood Grange met Friday night in regular session and the Fourth degree was taken by five candidates.

The master, E. C. Stevens, and the treasurer, C. L. Moberg, gave an interesting report of the proceedings of the State Grange convention held at Moberly October 24-26. They reported an unusually large attendance.

The next meeting will be held on December 8.

## 'Lucky Day' As Wallet Found

Flight Officer J. T. Warden of the Sedalia Air Base found a billfold on Ohio avenue Tuesday morning. Since it contained no identification, he brought it to the Democrat-Capitol office, and placed a "found" advertisement in the classified section.

Scarcely five minutes later, J. T. Reed, route 1, Sedalia, came in to renew his subscription. When he reached into his pocket for his wallet, it wasn't there.

Mr. Reed's description tallied exactly with that of the billfold which had just been found.

He soon located Flight Officer Warden, recovered his billfold, and returned to the newspaper office. There was a big smile on his face as he pulled out his billfold and paid for his paper.

"This is my lucky day," he said.

## Aid Arrives For Prisoners

Mrs. E. J. Thomas, chairman of Prisoners of War committee of the local Red Cross unit, announces word has been received from Washington stating the Red Cross supplies for prisoners have arrived in Japan. The article reads:

WASHINGTON—American Red Cross relief supplies for prisoners of war are reported by the Japanese to have arrived in Kobe, Japan, from Nakhodka, a Soviet port 100 miles east of Vladivostok, it was announced by Basil O'Connor, chairman. The supplies, sent to Vladivostok last year, were moved by the Soviet government to Nakhodka and picked up by a Japanese boat.

Food, medicines, clothing, and some recreational supplies were sent by the American and Canadian Red Cross societies and the YMCA from a west coast port of the United States via Russian ships to the port of Vladivostok at the suggestion of the Japanese government after other methods of sending prisoners of war supplies to the Far East had been rejected by that government.

The cargo, valued at about \$1,500,000, contained approximately 300,000 eleven-pound food packages, 2,661 cases of drugs and medical supplies, 19,500 sets of clothing, 4,200 pairs of army shoes, 7,080 overcoats, 125 cases of shoe repair materials, 21,000 sets of toilet articles, 1,000,000 cigarettes, and 299 cases of YMCA books and religious and recreational supplies.

It is understood that a delegate of the International Committee of the Red Cross met the ship on arrival at Kobe to direct the forwarding of material to Allied prisoners of war. The international delegate has been instructed to make every effort to see that supplies are sent to camps that did not receive their share of the previous two shipments sent by the American Red Cross. Former shipments, valued at \$1,462,926 were made on two voyages to the diplomatic exchange ship, Gripsholm, in 1942 and 1943.

## Farm-to-Market Road Commissioners

The Pettis county court Monday appointed four new county highway and road commissioners to succeed the four who have tendered their resignations. The commissioners handle all road affairs of the county pertaining to farm-to-market roads between the county court and the state highway department.

The new commissioners, whose terms expire in May, 1945, are: Frank Van Dyke, Mora, James P. Higgins, Houstonia, Millard Wagenknecht, Smithton, and J. O. Latimer, Nelson.

They succeed Roy Taylor of Longwood, B. F. Parker, La Monte, Charles Wisdom of Green Ridge and John Stuhner, Lake Creek.

## Sedalians Observing 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Ford Tuesday celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at the home of their daughter, Mrs. George Stohr, and family, 510 West Sixth street.

Mr. Ford is a retired Missouri Pacific shops foreman. Mrs. Ford is the former Miss Georgia Caning.

They are quietly observing the occasion by entertaining relatives.

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## Buy And Mail Christmas Gifts Early

### Critical Shortage Of Manpower Makes It Necessary

Public response to the Post Office Department's "Shop Now! Mail In November" campaign is good but needs to be better, according to Postmaster General Frank C. Walker.

"Extraordinary wartime conditions face us," Mr. Walker said. "Unless more people buy and mail this month the Postal Service cannot do its job of delivering all Christmas gifts on time."

"It is not pleasing to us to have to ask the American people to mail packages so far in advance of the delivery date. We do so only because it has to be done. The job is a tremendous one, but we are confident that it will be done because we know from experience that given sound reasons Americans cooperate magnificently."

"Unprecedented shortages of man power and transportation facilities growing out of the war compel early mailing. The Postal Service has given 50,000 experienced employees to the armed forces and 300,000 railroad workers have gone to war. Equally serious is the fact that rail and other transport facilities are taxed to the limit with the great burden of war traffic which all of us know must take precedence."

### Shortage of Manpower

"In a great number of our 43,000 post offices the man power situation is critical. The 200,000 extra workers whom we normally recruited to handle the swollen Christmas volume of mail were able to work long hours of overtime and to do heavy work. This cannot be expected from the women and high school boys and girls to whom in large part we must look this year to meet the situation."

"The way in which everyone responded in making it possible for us to handle a volume of 70,000,000 parcels for the armed forces overseas leaves no doubt in my mind that the November Christmas mailing will be equally successful. I ask for the help of the press, radio, business advertisers, civic groups and all Americans in making it possible for the Postal Service to do its work."

"We urge everyone to buy now, mail in November and mark gifts 'Do Not Open Until Christmas.'"

## Program At County Home

The USO will have charge of the devotionals at the county home at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, at which time a mixed chorus, composed of Lee Feabody, Mrs. Robert Seelen, Mrs. Richard Scarborough, Miss Dorothy Maxwell, Miss Ida Mae Redkey, Mrs. A. R. Beach, M. C. Bloss, will sing a group of old favorite songs.

Miss Dorothy Maxwell will sing a solo: "The Old Rugged Cross." Miss Lillian Fox gave a piano number, Miss Ida Mae Redkey will play a trumpet solo: "Holy City" by Adams and Mrs. Beach and Mrs. Seelen will sing: "Leave It With Him."

The program and devotionals will be in charge of M. C. Bloss.

## 'Dad's Night' At HM School

The Horace Mann Pre-school association observed "Dad's Night" Wednesday evening at the school.

A covered dish supper was served at 6:30 o'clock to the members and their husbands, after which the evening was spent in playing cards.

Awards for high score in pinocle went to Mrs. Ray Berry and Granville Blair, for low score to Mrs. W. B. Lynch and Ernest Morrow. William Prowell received high score award in bridge and Robert Brown the low score.

Mrs. E. D. Sutherland assisted by Mrs. T. E. Harris planned the menu and Mrs. Rex Schrader with Mrs. Granville Blair arranged the entertainment for the evening.

## Lamine Go-Getters Elect Officers

The Lamine Go-Getters 4-H club recently met at the school house and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Viola McMullin; vice president, Lavera McMullin; secretary, Chester Knox; reporter, Sharon Johnston; parliamentarian, Kenneth Wheeler; game leader, Glen McMullin; song leader, DeLores McMullin.

Kenneth Wheeler became a new member of the club.

### Smithton High Chooses Carnival Queen Candidates

The Smithton high school will have a carnival on November 28 and the following are candidates from the various classes for Queen and Prince Charming: Bonnie Hoehns and Donald Mahnken, seniors; Wilma Wagnenknecht and E. H. Schlotzhauer, juniors; Muriel Geischen and Zeb Thomas, sophomores; Bonnie Sharper and Elbert Hudson, freshmen; Alice Jean Gunn and Lloyd Young, junior high; Dorothy Lou Smith and Gary Griffen, room 11 and Janet Homan and Donnie Holsenpillar, room 1.

## In the Service



Top: Robert E. Hyatt, ARM 1c and Nellie Mae Hyatt, WAVES 3c. WAVE's son and daughter of Mrs. L. E. Hyatt, 319 North Prospect avenue and lower left, T. Sgt. Luther Hyatt, another son, who is stationed at the Sedalia Army Air Field.



SM 2/c Eugene W. Zeigel of the U. S. Navy, left, son of Mrs. Cora E. Zeigel, 1301 East Boonville street, who has made five trips across the Atlantic.

Pvt. Lawrence J. Dailey, right, whose wife, the former Miss Ada Marie Nelson, and two sons, Grant James, four years old, and Larry Lee, two years old, reside at 323 North Prospect avenue, has arrived safely in Italy. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Dailey, 511 East Fifth street. Before entering service he was employed by the Tasty Bread company.



Charles W. Brownfield, left, seaman 1/c, U. S. Coast Guard, and Mrs. Effie Brownfield, 646 East Fifth street.

Pvt. Donald Jr. Webb, right, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Webb, route 4, Sedalia. He was inducted into the army on November 11, 1943.

Harry W. Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Meyer, 501 North Quincy avenue, was graduated recently from the Naval Air Technical Training Center located at Norman, Okla. While at the Norman school he studied the aviation specialty field for which his recruit training aptitude tests showed he was best suited, and is now eligible for a petty officer rate. He is waiting further duty orders either to sea or to a Naval base.

Sgt. Leonard J. Knox, U. S. Marine, stationed in North Carolina, has recently been promoted to staff sergeant, according to news received by his grandmother, Mrs. E. M. Yanke, 637 East Fifteenth street, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knox, formerly of near Sedalia and now living in Kansas City.

Pvt. Otis Howe, 18, son of Mrs. Mary Howe, 1217 South Lamine avenue, has been enrolled in the AAF Training Command's aircraft radio mechanic school at Truxa Field, Madison, Wis., according to an announcement made by the post commander.

Bobby L. Butcher, son of Mrs. Ruth A. Butcher, Long Beach, Calif., has joined the Merchant Marines, and is now in training at the United States Maritime Training Station, Avalon, Santa Catalina Island, Calif. He was a former student of Smith-Cotton high school and his senior year was completed at Polytechnic high school, Long Beach, Calif.

Bluejacket Harry L. Smith, 18, 637 East Eleventh street, received recognition as eligible to qualify for the petty officer rate of radio-man third class during graduation exercises recently held at the Naval Training School (radio) on the Northwestern University campus, Evanston, Ill.

Pfc. Philip Reissen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reissen of Spring Fork, who is with Patton's army, on German territory, writes his parents he met a neighbor, Leonard Sigmond over there.

Mr. and Mrs. Reissen have another son, Henry Reissen, who was in the Marines, and was in the Pearl Harbor on the day the Japs invaded. He was at Guadalcanal, and later released because of disability. He is now in California.

Donnie Holsenpillar, room 11, results, 10 words, 1 week, 80c.

## Pfc. Ream, Green Ridge, Among First in Paris

A NINTH AIR FORCE SERVICE COMMAND UNIT, FRANCE: Two truck drivers of a Ninth Air Force Service Command unit, who are not supposed to be combat troops, are probably the first American soldiers to enter Paris.

Several hours before our forces moved into the city Private First Class Julian H. Ream, Green Ridge, Missouri and his assistant driver Corporal Sam S. Mackie, Cranberry, N. C. were driving around Paris in their six by six truck to find a way out.

How they happened to be in Paris at that time is one of the interesting stories of this war.

The day before our troops entered Paris their unit was called upon to move a First Army post office up to the American bridgehead at Melun, south of Paris. Ream and Mackie drew the assignment.

In a few hours the APO was delivered without incident, but coming back across the pontoon bridge an MP stopped them and asked if they would take some lost infantrymen up the river to their outfit.

### Said Goodbye

They got the men to their unit and said goodbye, with directions for a short-cut which the doughboys were sure would save them a lot of time. It didn't. They wandered around the outskirts of Paris for hours. The roads soon became streets and the usually present signboards pointing to Paris disappeared. It dawned on them that they were in the city already and thinking that it must have been taken, since no one had stopped them from entering, they decided to head for the heart of the town. They felt sure they would find someone there who could direct them. Then...

...but from here on the story is better told in Pfc. Ream's own words as he told it to his Commanding Officer, Lt. Dennis L. Cain, Caruthersville, Mo.

"There wasn't an MP or sign anywhere, only FFI troops and



Pfc. Julian H. Ream, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ream, of Green Ridge, among first soldiers to enter Paris. He was graduated from Green Ridge high school, attended Missouri Valley college, Marshall, and left in his sophomore year, March, 1942, to enter the army. After training in the States he was sent to Iceland and after six months there sent to England. He has been overseas sixteen months.

...Everybody was armed and we noticed a lot of them had Allied weapons. A few Frenchmen were riding around on the fenders of cars with machine guns in their arms. Evidently street fighting had been taking place in that particular vicinity. The Japs had blocked the streets by piling big stones all the way across from building to building. The French people were busy clearing the blocks while others stood guard over them.

"In the center of the city we stopped to ask a group how to get out of there and they recognized us as Americans. They showered us with fruit and were throwing kisses with both hands. Finally one guy came out of the crowd who could speak a little English and

he jumped on the running board to show us the way out. The rest of them must have thought that some kind of signal 'cause the next minute we had a truck load. The soldier on the running board told us we weren't supposed to be in the city; that only French soldiers had entered so far. He said there was still fighting going on in spots and that we should get out quick. That suited us fine, although we hadn't seen anything to be afraid of particularly."

### Thought They Were Goners

Corporal Mackie broke in. "Don't forget that guy who jumped on the truck when we just hit the town. I sure thought we were gone gooses then!" "Oh, yeah, that's right," continued Ream. "We were riding

along trying to figure things out and had slowed down to look at a sign on a wall when this rugged looking guy darts out from the sidewalk waving a Jerry pistol at us. Boy, that did it! I jammed on the gas pedal, but he was too quick for us. He hopped on the running board jabbering like a mad Indian. It seemed to me he was pointing that pistol right at my head, but it turned out all he wanted was a ride."

"We got rid of our excess load and our French friend took us part of the way out and explained the rest of the way, but his explanations were hard to understand, so we still looked for information. On the outskirts we met a column of MPs going toward Paris. They couldn't help us except to tell us the road to Versailles. Near there we were stopped by an infantry outfit. Their officer asked us where we were from and when we told him he didn't believe us. He told us, 'we're just going to help clean up some snipers.' However we began to tell him about the bridgeheads over the Seine and since he had just received a bulletin about it, he was convinced we were OK."

### Interested In Paris

"They asked us to have some coffee and wanted us to tell them all about Paris. They were sure glad to know the people were armed and were clearing the streets. He asked us a lot about the Ninth Air Force, too. He said, 'you know, it used to be we all ways made fun of each other—the ground forces and air forces—but no more. We love our air force.' 'Well, after what he told us, we had seen I'm here to tell you we love our infantry, too.' 'We stayed there for quite a while and they gave us some rations and showed us the way to the main highway. We passed plenty more troops coming up. I can't figure out how we got as far as we did without getting stopped or shot at or something, but I know one thing—I ain't taking anymore short cuts that close to the front!'"

## COMMUNITY NEWS from—Knob Noster

Miss Mary Elizabeth Wimer was taken to Fayette Wednesday by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer, where she will attend Central college.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Branner and son Billie recently returned from a three-weeks visit in Los Angeles, Calif., with Mr. Branner's brother, Roxie Branner and Mrs. Branner.

They also visited their son, M/Sgt. George Branner, stationed in San Francisco with the Ferry Command, who had just returned from a mission in the southwest Pacific.

Mr. and Mrs. Worthy Wiles of Braman, Okla., recently visited the latter's sister, Mrs. P. G. Utley and family.

Mrs. O. W. Peithman entertained her Sunday school class with a wienie roast in the church yard Monday night. Various games were played. Members attending were: Miriam Rowland, Marlene Austin, John Rumley, Leona Belle Booth, Helen Rumley, Billy Parrott and Tyler Henderson.

A Halloween party in charge of the senior class and sponsored by the student council of the high school was given in the school auditorium Tuesday night for the high school students and faculty members of both the high school and grades. Decorations were corn stalks, pumpkins and Jack-o-lanterns. Games were played after which cider and doughnuts were served.

The following members of the Geneva Rebekah lodge attended the district assembly meeting in Sedalia Tuesday: Mrs. Mary Covey, Mrs. Margaret Hocker, Mrs. Tom Beatty, Mrs. Wilbur Allen, Miss Elaine Zink and Miss Roberta Robinson.

Miss Mary Coats, nurse at Bothwell hospital, Sedalia, spent several days recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Coats, and her grandfather, Sam Coats.

Mrs. Russell Kendrick was hostess to the Merry Matron club at a 1:30 o'clock luncheon at her home Thursday. A social afternoon was enjoyed. Members present were: Mrs. W. J. Carr, Mrs. H. N. Gillum, Mrs. C. L. Saults, Mrs. C. F. Covey, Mrs. M. V. Richerson and Mrs. P. G. Utley. Guests were Mrs. Harold Helms and Mrs. S. A. Burton.

Miss Rosemary Lay went to Marshall Wednesday where she will attend Missouri Valley college.

The Women's Council of the Christian church observed World Community day Friday. A covered dish luncheon was served at noon. The devotional service was led by Mrs. George Windsor and Mrs. Erby Barrow. "Price of Enduring Peace" was the lesson theme. The Rev. G. L. Weidman reported on the National convention held in Columbus, O.

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## Wed Fifty Years

Her parents were Mr. and Mrs. Matt Haldiman. She was married to Mr. Affolter about 40 years ago and is survived by the husband and one son, Wilford Affolter.

She was a member of the Evangelical church.

Harold Simmons has returned to Williamsville, N. Y., after spending two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Simmons.

Miss Mary Heyssel has returned from Barnes hospital, St. Louis, where she underwent an operation on her nose.

Funeral services for Robert Henry Harbit, who died at his home here October 30, were held the following Tuesday afternoon at the Christian church, conducted by a former pastor, the Rev. M. L. Riley of Kansas City. Members of I. O. O. F. lodge acted as pallbearers and burial was in Laurel Oak cemetery.

Mr. Harbit was born in 1860 in Nicholas county, Ky., the son of J. A. and Elizabeth Harbit. He came to Windsor with the family in 1880 and was later married to Laura Belle Turner, who died in 1898. He was then married to Mrs. Miriam Naive.

Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Miriam Harbit; two sons, Ira and Arthur Harbit of Kansas City; one daughter, Mrs. Ethel Wharton of Windsor, a step-daughter, Mrs. Bernadine Keithley of Maccon; five brothers, A. J. and Ed Harbit of Windsor, James of Sedalia, Charles of Nevada and Sam of Leavenworth, Kas.; and a sister, Mrs. Amanda Billings of Windsor. Eight grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and many nephews and nieces also survive.

Mr. Harbit was a member of Windsor Christian church and of the I. O. O. F. lodge.

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## Dancer



Clarice Blankinship, professional dancer, now making Sedalia her home, residing at 900 South Stewart avenue, has opened a school for acrobatic, tap and ballroom dancing. A native of Detroit she conducted a dancing school there, later going to Hollywood to appear in featured dancing and singing parts in several Paramount pictures.

## Obituaries

### Mrs. Mary Catherine Clark

Mrs. Mary Catherine Clark, 88, died at 11:30 o'clock Monday night at the Johnson County Home, and graveside services were held at Sunset Hill cemetery in Warrensburg Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock, conducted by the Rev. Herbert D. Woodruff, pastor of the Christian church.

Mrs. Clark fell at her home in Knob Noster November 5, fracturing her hip and since Thursday, November 9, had been in the county home being cared for.

Mrs. Clark was the former Mary Catherine Hardin, daughter of W. G. and Martha J. Hardin and was born in "Old Town," north of Knob Noster in January, 1856. She was married to Thomas W. Clark in 1884. She spent all her life in Knob Noster and vicinity.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Clark is survived by one sister, Mrs. Martha J. Young of Durham, Okla., and several nieces and nephews.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary last January.

### Thomas O. Spillers

Thomas O. Spillers, 62, died at his home in Ottaville Thursday at 6:05 p. m. as the result of a heart attack.

Born March 6, 1882, at New Lebanon, a son of the late Taylor and Nannie Spillers, he was married February 11, 1911, to Miss Carrie Favorite, and lived his entire life in Ottaville.

Mr. Spillers served as postmaster for 12 years during a Republican administration and was presiding judge of Cooper county at the time of his death.

Survivors are his wife and a sister, Mrs. Jess Favorite of Warrensburg.

Funeral services will be held at the Presbyterian church this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with the Rev. Ralph A. Waggoner of Sedalia officiating. Masonic services will be held.

Burial will be in Warrensburg.

### Monroe Moon

Monroe Moon, 86 years old, died at the home of his son, John W. Moon, route 2, Windsor, at 3:25 o'clock Friday afternoon following a lingering illness.

Mr. Moon was born in Morgan county May 15, 1853 and spent his early life there. He moved to Pettis county about thirty years ago and lived in the Georgetown and Sedalia vicinities until about one year ago when he moved with his son John to their present home near Windsor.

Mr. Moon was preceded in death by his wife, Mrs. Sarah Fowler Moon, in 1896. He was also preceded in death by one child who died in infancy.

Early in life he united with the Mt. Carmel Baptist church in Morgan county.

He is survived by three sons, John W. Moon, at whose home he died, Elmer Moon, and Elsie M. Moon, Sedalia; five daughters, Mrs. Rozetta Mock, Beaman, Mrs. Zelma Smith, Mrs. Ola Frisbie, Sedalia, Mrs. Lena Carver, Buncheon, Mrs. Lizzie Mitchell, Leavenworth, Kas. Thirty-six grandchildren and forty-one great grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services will be held at the Ewing funeral home at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon. Interment will be in the Crown Hill cemetery.

The body is at the funeral home.

### Funeral Of T. O. Spillers

Funeral services for T. O. Spillers, presiding judge of the Cooper county court, who passed away Thursday at his home at Ottaville, were held at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon at the Presbyterian church there.

The Rev. Ralph A. Waggoner, of Sedalia, officiated and a trio of T. E. Wear, Gus Wear and Jesse Stretten sang, "I Need Thee Every Hour." "It Is Well With My Soul" and "City Four Square." Mrs. Oliver Goehner was accompanist.

Pall bearers were Wade Burford, Sherman Gentury, Lon Bry-

## Hundreds Of War Bond Drive Slogans

### First Award To Martin Bradley, Ann Curtis Second

Almost six hundred slogans were submitted to the Pettis County War Finance Committee from the school pupils of Sedalia and the county for the War Bond Slogan Contest in competition for \$15.00 in war stamps as prizes. The slogans were entered by the contestants in every form: mottoes, poems, two-line jingles, short lines and ideas submitted in a strain both general and particular to the cause at hand. Sandra McLaughlin, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McLaughlin, 308 West Sixth street, wrote in her own bold letters:

"Buy Bonds and Stamps For Freedom's Chance."

While Charles Van Dyne, Jr., 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. VanDyne, 501 West Broadway, wrote:

"To honor Salisbury, Buy Bonds in a hurry."

Both Sandra and Charles are pupils of Miss Marian Keens at the Broadway school as is Rita Sue Rosenthal, 6, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rosenthal, 1101 West Broadway, who hurled this broadside at the root of all evil:

"Buy Bonds Buy Stamps Kick Hitler In The Pants."

From Bird To Bond

Craig Brougher, 6, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brougher, 1008 South Carr avenue, and of the same school and grade with Sandra, Charles, and Rita Sue, took an idea from "Poor Richard's Almanac" and transposed it from "bird" to "bond":

"A bond in the hand Is worth two on the stand."

Proudly Displays Autograph on Shirt

One of the happiest boys in Sedalia Thursday was Jerry Sims, son of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Sims, 515 West Seventh street, who proudly displayed his blue shirt bearing the autograph of Colonel "Buck" Salisbury.

Jerry, who is eleven years old and a student of Broadway school, went to the parade prepared to get the autograph, just in case he could get close enough to the young colonel to ask him. He took along a piece of crayon.

There was a real thrill in the youngster's voice as he excitedly told of his prized possession, a shirt with his hero's autograph.

Births

Son, born to Pvt. and Mrs. Wilson Hopkins, 705 North Quincy avenue, at 6:30 o'clock Saturday morning at Bothwell hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Kirkman, Kansas City, Kansas, former Sedalians announce the birth of a son on November 7 in Kansas City. The baby has been named Frank Dewey.

an, Louis Stephens, Judd Golladay and Jack Kellerman, the latter of Smithton.

Burial was in Sunset Hill cemetery at Warrensburg.

Mrs. Whitworth Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Elizabeth Whitworth were held at the Ewing funeral home at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon with the Rev. B. B. Bess officiating.

Mrs. Mae Moser and Mrs. Maree Lewis sang, "Will The Circle Be Unbroken." "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere" and "In The Garden," accompanied by Mrs. Moser.

The following friends served as pallbearers: Joe Gelken, W. M. Rabourn, E. P. Decker, James Greenstreet, Frank Royce and Bert Selvey.

Interment was in the Crown Hill cemetery.

George A. Scott

George A. Scott, 66 years old, former Sedalian, died Friday night at his home, 3809 Baltimore, Kansas City, Mo., of a heart attack.

The Scott family left Sedalia eight years ago for Kansas City. Mr. Scott was a machinist for the Missouri Pacific railroad when in Sedalia.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Julia Scott and a daughter, Miss Ruth Scott of the home, three sons, Cpl. George M. Scott, in France; Sgt. William R. Scott, Puerto Rico and Lieut. Robert F. Scott, in a hospital in England and three sisters, Mrs. A. B. Wiggins and Mrs. W. G. Wegman, Chanute, Kas., and Mrs. A. Curtis, Hollywood, Calif.

Funeral services will be held in Kansas City at 1:00 o'clock Monday afternoon and the body will be brought to Sedalia where graveside services will be held at 4:00 o'clock with Rev. J. A. Biter, pastor of the St. Patrick's church to officiate.

Pallbearers will be, Pat Downs, William Cough, Walter Doble, L. W. Dickman, C. S. Toster, and Eugene Miller.



# Bobbysockers Are Worrying The Retailers

## Girls in Oregon Doing Christmas Shoplifting Early

By Ann Reed Burns  
PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 22.—(AP)—Bobbysockers who shoplift for fun are baffling juvenile officials here and have Portland retailers walking on their heels.

Young girls, who seem to skip classes to shoplift as casually as boys play hockey to go fishing, have been arrested from nearly every high school and grade school in town and from some of the city's better homes.

The thefts—practically all for personal use, not for sale—have been increasing for two years. The bobbysock brigade seems to be doing its Christmas shoplifting early, and police say it beats anything they've ever seen.

A 12-year-old was caught with \$150 worth of cashmere sweaters, beads and bracelets in a shopping bag. A girl of 17 admitted stealing \$700 worth of goods in seven months to send as gifts to her sailor sweetheart. At one glove counter a detective caught five girls, each with a stolen pair of gloves in her size.

### Blamed Bookkeeping

One department store official said shoplifting has run into so many thousands of dollars that his auditors held up inventory reports, thinking there must have been a bookkeeping error. "I've seen nothing like it in 34 years," he said.

Police Capt. Elizabeth Moorad opined that the youngsters look at shoplifting as a lark—not a crime. It's like boys tearing down street signs on Halloween. "I guess it's stealing," one tearful teen-ager confessed. "Only I don't think of it that way. It was an adventure, sort of. The other girls were doing it."

"They make a game out of it," said Captain Moorad. "A girl friend boasts about how she lifted cosmetics or jewelry. They try it out. It's easy. And they try it again."

# Tires Shortage Still Be Acute

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(AP)—Foreseeing a shortage of at least 1,000,000 truck and bus tires in the first quarter of 1945, the War Production Board tonight asked the already strained rubber industry to increase production 25 per cent.

While some cut in passenger car tire production may result from a diversion of labor and machinery to military tires, WPB Vice Chairman H. G. Batcheller said it was hoped to fill the needs of B and C card drivers.

Representatives of the "entire tire industry, big and small" met here today, Batcheller said, and were asked to report every possible method of increasing the output of existing plants.

If all such measures fail to meet the deficit, Batcheller said it might be necessary to "inaugurate a new program for construction of entirely new plants—an extreme step which we hope can be avoided." A new plant requires nine to 12 months to build.

The 1,000,000-tire deficit remains even after WPB scaled down the demands of the army and other claimants from 6,447,000 to 4,941,000 tires in the first quarter of 1945, Batcheller reported. The industry estimates it can produce only 3,930,000 truck and bus tires during that period.

## Hoist Flags in Memory of Hitler

By the Associated Press  
The office of war information distributed the following today: "A German press dispatch describing a recent oath-taking ceremony by 25,000 Volksturm draftees in the cathedral square of Magdeburg included this statement: 'Flags and standards were hoisted, national anthems resounded and arms were presented for a salute and in memory of Adolf Hitler (im gedenken an Adolf Hitler)'. Then it added: 'This most important hour of our town's history was over.'"

(While this translation was given by the OWI, the phrase may also be translated "with thoughts of" or "in remembrance of.")

### Ships Shuttle Services With Gifts To Prisoners

STOCKHOLM, Nov. 22.—(AP)—The Red Cross announced today that three ships would start shuttle traffic between Goteborg and Ubeck next week carrying 500,000 Christmas packages for Allied prisoners of war in Germany.

### Will Of Mrs. Black Filed

The will of Mrs. Mary E. Black was filed for probate in the Probate court Tuesday by John C. Cordes, who was appointed executor.

All of the estate was left to her son, Thomas P. Black, who lives at Quincy, Ill. Mrs. Black died November 8, 1944.

Democrat-Capital Class adds get results, 1 week, 80c.

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## Identify Crewless Plane That Crashes

SIoux CITY, Ia., Nov. 22.—(AP)—A crewless Flying Fortress which crashed today near Isabella, Minn., 70 miles northeast of Duluth, has been identified definitely by number as a Sioux City army air base plane, Col. W. A. Dawson, air base commandant said tonight.

He said a forest ranger furnished the necessary information to base officials to make identification positive.

# Yank Chapel In Germany

By Hal Boyle

WITH AMERICAN TROOPS IN GERMANY, Nov. 12.—(Delayed)—(AP)—Doughboys of the Second Infantry division say it took the Germans four years to build the Siegfried line, and it took the Americans four days to crack it and four hours to build a chapel inside it.

The rude log church is among a number of wooden buildings and winter-resistant structures erected by one battalion whose bivouac area now looks like an American western frontier settlement in pioneer days.

The simple spruce-log chapel stands out with a certain dignity in this ramshackle community. Protestant and Catholic services are held on alternate days, and certain percentages of men from each forward company are permitted to leave their cold, muddy positions in the heavy evergreen woods to attend church.

"That quota is always filled," smiled Chaplain Ernest Sinfield of Flushing, N. Y., whose pews for months have been foxholes and whose church has been roofed only by the sky.

### Plain Cross on Roof

His present building is the first real church built by his khaki-clad congregation. It has a plain wooden cross mounted on the peaked roof. At sunset the cross throws shadows on former Nazi concrete pillboxes only a few yards away.

Inside, the worshippers sit on or kneel before roughly-hewn log benches. At the head of the room is a long table covered with a shining white altar cloth on which stand a silver crucifix and vases of fresh flowers.

Construction of the church was first suggested by the battalion commander, Lt. Col. Olinio M. Barsanti, former University of Nevada football and boxing star and one of the toughest and best-liked officers on this front. His mud-stained men took up the idea at once, and pitched into the job under the instruction of Pfc. Ernest C. Newman of Hurt, Va., the only carpenter in the outfit.

### Cut and Chinked Logs

Lieut. Howell W. Thompson of Watertown, Tenn., was in charge of the work, with about a dozen men led by Sgt. Marvin L. Harwell of Riesel, Tex. Among those who cut and chinked the logs were Pfc. John S. Materniak of Butler, Pa., Pfc. Roy D. Scroggins of Houston, Tex., Pfc. Rufus Norton of Newman, Ga., and Pvt. Blair W. Price of Lawndale, N. C.

On completion of the chapel, a half-mile from the frontlines, Capt. Sinfield dedicated it, with Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson as guest of honor.

As bombers roared overhead and gunfire rumbled in the distance, the chaplain told the congregation: "One of your first acts on entering this country of destruction was to construct this church; let it stand as a monument to American ideals."

### Nbbins Has One Chance in Ten

DENVER, Nov. 22.—(AP)—Three-year-old Forre (Nubbins) Hoffman of Cheyenne, Wyo., has only one chance in ten to live.

That's the opinion of a Denver urologist who last night examined the little fellow who had his Christmas last Sunday because death might beat a regularly scheduled Santa to the Hoffman home.

The doctor, who asked that his name not be used, ordered a transfusion "as a tonic and not because the boy has lost any blood," and said he had only a "10 per cent chance of recovery."

Nubbins' disease is the result of a congenital obstruction at the neck of his bladder. One kidney has been destroyed and the other badly damaged, the doctor said.

### Predictor Universe Disintegrate Is Dead

CAMBRIDGE, Eng., Nov. 22.—(AP)—Sir Arthur Stanley Eddington, 61, famous English astronomer who predicted the universe would some day disintegrate into radio waves died in a nursing home here last night.

The worldly end, he said, would be "one stupendous broadcast." He was professor of astronomy at Cambridge university, director of the Cambridge Observatory, interpreter of the Einstein theory of relativity, and a bachelor who declared:

"Falling in love is an activity forbidden to that tiresome person, the consistently reasonable man."

Sir Arthur was world-known as "the plain man's scientist," but some of his mathematical processes were breath-taking.

Miss Bush III

Miss Phyllis Bush, who has been ill at her home, 1312 South Osage avenue, for the past two weeks is still ill and confined to her home.

# Merry-go-Round

by Drew Pearson

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—It hasn't leaked into print, but General Electric president Charles E. Wilson, ex-vice chairman of the War Production Board, has a lot of Big Business moguls boiling mad at him.

"I thought being in the government was hell," the big Irish production wizard remarked a little whimsically to a friend, "but this is worse."

However, Charlie Wilson is sticking to his guns. He made a speech in Atlanta, recently, proposing low prices after the war and high wages. The reception from Big Business was the chilliest he has ever received. The automobile people were especially irate. Word from inside the industry is that they planned to ask OPA for a 30 per cent price rise over 1942, perhaps settle for 20 per cent. So they have been calling Charlie Wilson all sorts of names, beginning with "traitor" and going on up.

Wilson spoke in Atlanta before a group of General Electric distributors, plus other businessmen. His two chief points were:

1—Industry must have the full cooperation of labor after the war. Wages must be higher. The take-home pay on a 40-hour week basis after the war must eventually represent the higher level of earnings that now prevail. (In other words, industry working 40 hours should get what it now makes in 48 hours.) But labor, in return must give industry more output. It must do some thinking to help industry, instead of promoting the slowdown. That's the only way we can make the system work.

2—Prices must be low, within the range of labor to buy.

"This world's got to be built around the boys who have been fighting this war," Wilson said in conclusion. "We've got to give them jobs. This is the day of the common man."

### Give Em Money to Spend

Afterward, a friend jokingly remarked, "What have you been doing—talking to Henry Wallace?" Wilson's reply to this and the criticism of his business friends is: "How am I going to sell my refrigerators if we don't give 'em wages to buy with?"

General Electric sold \$500,000,000 worth of goods in 1940, expects to sell \$800,000,000 by paying high wages and keeping prices down after the war.

Note—After his Atlanta speech, Wilson got a frantic wire from Under Secretary of War Patterson and Secretary of the Navy Forrestal urging that he make no more. Patterson was afraid Wilson would get people's minds distracted from war work, cause people to leave for private industry. Forrestal didn't feel as strongly as Patterson but was persuaded by Patterson to sign anyway.

### Byrnes Forestalls Baruch

It was largely the persistent, persuasive charm of Barney Baruch that caused ex-Justice Jimmy Byrnes to change his mind and remain as War Mobilizer. The president very much wanted Byrnes to stay and several times told him so. But Baruch, who has been able to wield a powerful, hidden hand in the government through his fellow South Carolinian, pulled off a brilliant, energetic wire to that purpose.

One wire was Harry Hopkins. A few weeks ago Baruch had told a friend that he considered Hopkins one of the most sinister influences in government. But that didn't prevent the charming Wall-Streeteer from calling on Harry and having him use his influence to keep Byrnes on as War Mobilizer.

Baruch also talked to Byrnes himself at great length. Finally he climaxed it all with a call on FDR.

As Baruch was leaving the president's office, a call came through to Byrnes' office at the extreme opposite end of the White House, saying that Bernie was on his way. Whereupon Byrnes picked up the phone, called the president and told him he had decided to remain on the job until the war with Germany was over.

"Why did you do that?" asked a friend, puzzled over the fact that Byrnes had called while Baruch was enroute to his office.

"I just didn't want Baruch to be able to say that he persuaded me to stay," said the War Mobilizer with a broad grin.

Note—Baruch's master stroke accomplishments through Byrnes have been the Hancock report on reconversion, which took care of Big Business but not little; the appointment of General Hines for veterans' re-employment; appointment of Will Clayton for surplus war property; ousting of Donald Nelson.

### Merry-Go-Round

This is the first time since the Civil War that Pennsylvania has two Democratic senators. The new senator, Representative Francis J. Myers of Philadelphia, is another case of a strong internationalist replacing a semi-isolationist—

# Volunteer for Front Lines

By Franklin F. Banker  
DURBOSLAR, Germany, Nov. 21.—(Delayed)—(AP)—The boys everybody thought were just plain crazy—GIs who voluntarily gave up soft and safe jobs in the rear to get some perilous frontline action—are taking it and liking it.

A non-combat buck private started it a couple of weeks ago by writing a letter to the Paris Stars and Stripes Bureau saying he was tired of being "1-A in a 4-F outfit" and wanted combat.

A major general read the letter. He said that was just the kind of man he wanted and invited the private to join his division. The

# Shakes Finger In Boycott Threat

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 22.—(AP)—The general counsel of the American Federation of Labor today shook a boycott bludgeon at Florida and Arkansas, state which adopted anti-closed shop laws in the November 7 election.

Joseph Padway, speaking at the AFL national convention, said: "If Arkansas and Florida attempt to enforce open-shop laws our answer will be that the printers will not print, the bricklayers will not lay brick, and members of the other trades will lay down their tool rather than work with scabs."

Padway announced that AFL lawyers have filed suits with the U. S. supreme court questioning the constitutionality of what he repeatedly referred to as "anti-union laws" adopted by "a number of states," adding that the high court previously had upheld the "union member's constitutional right not to work with non-union men."

Assuring convention delegates that closed shop contracts in Arkansas and Florida war plants "are entirely safe because" the moment there is a dispute the War Labor Board will take jurisdiction and tell the states to keep hands off, Padway added that the situation might become "serious" in peacetime if states attempted to enforce laws prohibiting closed shops.

# Margin Of 2,163 To Donnell

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 22.—(AP)—Complete returns from all except Sullivan county tonight gave Gov. Forrester C. Donnell, Republican U. S. senator-elect, a margin of 2,163 votes over Attorney General Roy McKittick in the Nov. 7 election.

With St. Louis county completing its count of 7,247 absentee ballots, Donnell had a total of 779,341 home and absentee votes to 77,151 for McKittick.

Sullivan county was snagged in reporting its final returns by a disagreement over 84 questioned ballots.

The St. Louis city election board counted 389 additional ballots today which previously had been set aside because of doubted legality. Of those Donnell received 159, McKittick 230.

# Individuals Buy Freely In Bond Drive

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(AP)—Individuals have bought \$482,000,000 worth of war bonds in the sixth war loan drive, the treasury announced tonight.

The national quota for individuals is \$5,000,000,000. Most of the individual sales to date represent the familiar series E-bonds, favorite of small investors.

The total also includes fragmentary reports from a few large cities of sales of various other securities to individual purchasers.

No figures for corporations will be announced before December 1, which is the date of issue of four types of securities especially designed for the corporate type of investor.

### Storrs Reports Campaign Expense Of \$176.54

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 22.—(AP)—General election campaign expenses of \$176.54 were reported to the secretary of state today by Perry G. Storrs, Marshall Democrat, who was unsuccessful in his race against W. W. Blain of Sedalia for George H. Miller's 15th district senatorial seat.

### Vice President Wallace's political fortunes...

One of the best jobs of keeping the nation informed about its servicemen is quietly being done by Col. Al Warner and Col. Ed Kirby at the war department, both doing a bang-up job with the popular "Army Hour."

### By Edwin B. Greenwald

WRIGHT FIELD, O., Nov. 22.—(AP)—The army air forces disclosed today it had developed a "zood" robot bomb that could be used "if we need it" and said the weapon had been in test flight since Oct. 11th.

It is a version of the German V-1 which was loosed on England last summer, the air technical service command said in relating how it raced to reproduce the Nazi terror weapon in 60 days and then sent it skimming jet-propelled through the skies a month later.

Furthermore, its launching ramp

idea spread so quickly that the army newspaper soon had more than 1,000 letters from "armchair" soldiers, asking transfer to the front.

Veteran doughboys said "Let's wait and see." But after watching some of the volunteers perform in the Ninth army capture of Durboslar and Setich, infantry officers had nothing but praise for them. "If we had more men like this we'd win the war a whole lot sooner," said Maj. Victor Gillespie of Centerville, Md., a unit executive officer. "These men came through 100 per cent in their baptism of fire."

# War Score in Pacific Area

U. S. FLEET HEADQUARTERS Pearl Harbor, Nov. 22.—(AP)—Admiral Nimitz added up the score again yesterday.

The score: 63,388 Japanese killed and 3,267 captured in the Saipan-Guam-Tinian-Angaur-Peleliu actions which began June 14 and the last of which officially ended in September.

The totals included 6,962 enemy dead and 1,857 enemy prisoners, all killed and captured in endless patrol actions on the various islands following the ending of organized enemy resistance.

Saipan, bloodiest central Pacific battle up to that time, remained the most important in the latest tally. The admiral's communique said 26,277 Japanese were killed there and 2,068 captured. (These figures include only military personnel, not civilians. The date of the compilation would also indicate that they do not include the latest Saipan figures, 248 killed and 47 captured in a renewed hunt this week.)

The most significant figure was the revision for Tinian. After the battle patrols, said the communique, had killed 1,148 enemy personnel still loose on the island; but they added not a single prisoner to those in the stockades.

# Wodehouse Is Given Release

By GLADWIN HILL  
PARIS, Nov. 22.—(AP)—P. G. Wodehouse, prominent British humorist, was conditionally released tonight after being held two days by the French police on charges of aiding the Germans by broadcasts in 1941.

He will be permitted to stay in France but must live under surveillance more than 62 miles from Paris, the French police judiciary announced.

The wife of the 63-year-old humorist was taken into custody with him at his hotel but was freed this morning.

The British embassy denied intending to have him freed, but friends of Wodehouse said it had done so. It was known at least to have kept in touch with the situation. He was the first British subject detained in France's wholesale roundup of alleged collaborators.

Wodehouse, world-famous for his novels and stories of British life and for his creation of Jeeves, the perfect butler, was caught by the Germans in 1940 when the invasion swept over his villa at Le Touquet, France.

During 1941 he made five broadcasts from Berlin, for which he was violently criticized in Britain.

After a year's internment he and his wife were permitted to come to Paris, where they lived under Gestapo supervision.

### Alimony Petitioned In Divorce Action

Mrs. Minnie Juanita Bozarth filed a suit for divorce from Clarence M. Bozarth, in circuit court Wednesday, alleging general indignities. They were married in October 1931 and separated in September 1944.

She asks for the care and custody of their two children, Minnie Evelyn, 10 year old daughter, and Clarence Edwards, 6 year old son, restoration of her maiden name, attorney's fee, and permanent alimony.

A. M. Harlan is the attorney for the plaintiff.

### Fined For Lack Of License

Carl C. Holley, Warsaw, pleaded guilty on a charge of driving with no driver's license and paid a fine of \$1 and costs into the justice court of A. M. Harlan Wednesday.

### Pass Insurance Program

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—(AP)—Reversing a 1943 stand, the house today passed a federal insurance program to protect the nation's farmers from future crop losses.

# Smithton

Mrs. R. R. Lugin

Gene Bremer of Kansas City spent Thursday with Lilburn Lugin, who left Friday for military training. Both were dinner guests of George Demand Thursday.

Everett Monsees spent several days last week in Parsons, Kas., on business.

Milton Weiffenbach of Webster Groves arrived to visit his mother, Mrs. Bettina Weiffenbach, and his sister, Mrs. Olen Monsees and family, returning home Sunday.

Relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kalo Monsees Sunday afternoon to celebrate the birthday anniversary of his father, Col. L. M. Monsees. Those present were: Col. and Mrs. L. M. Monsees, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Monsees, Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Monsees and daughters, Marian and Betty Jane, John Green, Lieut. and Mrs. Robert Goetz of San Marcos, Tex., Miss Nancy Kay Monsees, and the following young ladies who were week-end guests in the Monsees home—Cadet Mary D. Monsees, Kansas City; Misses Marjorie Seifers and Norma Jennings, Butler; and Mrs. Hal Bremer, Warrensburg.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walje of Otterville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. Hume and family. Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Oehrk and family attended church in Florence Sunday and were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Brunkhorst.

Cpl. Cloyd Merk arrived Saturday evening on a surprise visit with his parents and family. He is stationed at Hunter Field, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Weigers of Kansas City and Mrs. Weldon Harris and daughter, Patricia, of Flat River, were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Mahnkens and son, Donald. Mrs. Harris returned home Tuesday.

William Hoerman of Kansas City visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hoerman, from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Allie Meyers and daughter, Kathryn, of Syracuse, were guests of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emmett Combs, Saturday.

A contributive supper was enjoyed at the Methodist church Friday evening in honor of the return of the pastor, the Rev. E. F. Dillon and family, for another year. Following the supper, the first quarterly conference was held with the District Superintendent Rev. Havighurst of Marshall in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Lamm entertained at dinner Saturday evening in honor of Lieut. and Mrs. Robert Goetz, who are spending his turlough here. He was stationed at San Marcos, Tex. Others present were: Mrs. Hal Bremer, Warrensburg; Cadet Mary D. Monsees, Kansas City; Misses Marjorie Seifers and Norman Jennings, Butler; and Miss Nancy K. Monsees.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kahrs and family, Mrs. John L. Monsees and Mrs. Frank Bremer drove to Kansas City Sunday to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Kahrs. Mrs. Bremer will spend the week there in her daughter's home while Mrs. Pearl Kahrs, who has been there several weeks helping care for the new baby, returned with her son and family.

The Smithton volleyball and basketball teams split victories with the Sacred Heart teams of Sedalia Tuesday night. The girls won their volleyball game while the boys lost in the basketball game.

The Rev. E. F. Dillon was called to Kansas City Monday to officiate at the funeral of Charles Tener of Windsor, one of his former church members.

Mrs. Lottie Starke is confined to her bed, ill with pleurisy.

The Smithton basketball team, composed of the following members, played in the Versailles tournament: Clayton Young, Bobby Jackson, Mason Peoples, E. H. Schlottzauer, Howard Wills, Donald Mahnkens, Bobbie Ray, John Wagenknecht, Bob Monsees, Bob Smith, accompanied by their coach, Willis Chaney. They lost their first game with Versailles by the score of 25 to 48, and won over Barne't with a score of 21 to 26. They were defeated by Eldon 8 to 47.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Henderson entertained the following guests with a chili supper last Saturday evening: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pace of Jefferson City, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Pace and family and Miss Eva Pace.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Taylor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Taylor of Syracuse.

Miss Mildred Blumh of Warrensburg spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Blumh, Sr. Miss Darlene Ulmer of Sedalia was her guest Sunday.

Members of the Youth Fellowship enjoyed a pot luck supper and recreational hour before their devotional service Sunday evening.

The Rev. Havighurst of Marshall was a dinner guest of the Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Dillon Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Ulmer and son, Leroy, and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Demand attended the Ulmer family reunion Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Ulmer of Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Sutherland and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Poe and family of Syracuse.

Members of the Youth Fellowship are making plans to assist in the Booth Festival at the Fifth Street Methodist church, Sedalia, Mrs. Bruce Ulmer and Mrs. Louis Demand spent Tuesday with Mrs. William Reid of Sedalia.

# McKittick Not Considering Contest

JEFFERSON CITY, Nov. 2.—(AP)—Attorney General Roy McKittick said today "I am not considering a contest" of Gov. Forrester N. Donnell's election as United States senator.

Beyond that the Democratic candidate declined to comment until he sees the secretary of state's official canvass of returns which show Donnell, a Republican, elected by about 2,200 votes.

Asked last week if he would contest the narrow margin, McKittick said he did not know yet, but said he had received reports of "some irregularities" in the vote count.

# Obituaries

### James M. Greer Service

Funeral services for James M. Greer, former Sedalia chief of police, who died at his home on Green Ridge, route 2, Tuesday morning, will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon at the McLaughlin funeral chapel. Reverend A. W. Kokendoffer and Reverend R. E. Hurd will officiate.

Mrs. W. L. Lewis and Mrs. M. O. Stevens will sing "Lead Kindly Light," "In the Garden" and "Abide With Me." Mrs. Mae Moser will be the accompanist. Pallbearers will be August Mergen, Ed Bridges, George Hull, Walter Koenig, George Schuber and P. M. Licklider.

Burial will be in Crown Hill cemetery.

### Mrs. Luna Demand

Mrs. Luna Demand, widow of the late Henry Demand, passed away in her home in Sedalia 5:30 o'clock Wednesday evening. Other than the present year, Mrs. Demand has lived in the Lake Creek community south of Smithton.

The body was taken to the Neumeyer funeral home at Smithton where the body is to remain until the funeral hour.

### Mrs. Lucy Reinert Service

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Reinert, who died Monday night at her home on route 4, were held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon with Rev. Samuel Jensen, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church, officiating.

Mrs. W. L. Lewis and Mrs. Roy Kirchhoffer sang: "Going Down the Valley," and "The Old Rugged Cross," with Mrs. Mae Moser as accompanist.

Pallbearers were: Harry Schumaker, William Schumaker, William Blatterman, Milton Lewis, W. C. Monsees and Walker Stark. Burial was in Crown Hill cemetery.